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THE POLITICAL SENSATION.

"Die Hards'" Quarrel with Premier.

( Reuter's Service. )

London, March 1. The political sensation of the hour is Mr. Lloyd George's comununication to Mr. Chamberlain (see earlier telegrams). Though it is not confirmed that the 1 remier sent a letter to Mr. Chamberlain, the evening papers agree that he complained, at least verbally, of the disloyalty of a section of the Conservative Coalitionists and intimated that he does not intend longer to submit to language and full swing, large numbers of boys and amaha leaving work to-day. tactics deliberately meant to humiliate him.

The quarrel dates back to the action of Sir George Younger. Chairman of the Conservative organization, in thwarting the Premier's plans for a General Election early in the New Year. This has since been accontuated by speeches of Sir George Younger sneering, at the Coalition Liberals, despite the assurances which Mr. Lloyd George has received of loyalty from Mr. Chamberlain and Lord for Canton are being stopped by police and military guards and sent

Birkenhead. A meeting of Conservative leaders was held to-day to discuss the position. Apart from the irreconcilable "Die-Hard" Conservatives, who desire a rupture with Mr. Lloyd George, a section of the Conservatives is dissatisfied at the Government's failure to reduce the Income Tax.

#### GEDDES' COMMITTEE'S PROPOSALS.

#### Economies Totalling £61,000,000 Approved.

London, March 1. In the House of Commons, in the course of a survey of the Geddes' Committee proposals, the Chancellor of the Exchequer (Sir Robert Horne) announced, amid Opposition cheers, that the Government had rejected the recommendations regarding the reduction of teachers' salaries and the exclusion of children under six years from school. He said healthy young children were immensely improved ! by the medical attention and care given in school. The Government would adopt the recommendation favouring teachers' contribution to a Superannuation Fund.

Sir Robert Horne said as regards the Navy, the difference between the Admiralty and the Geodes' recommendations was almost entirely a question of personnel. The Admiralty now agreed to all reduction to 98,000, compared to Geddes' 88,000, and the Govern- the usual delivery of milk and who had left work ment accepted the personnel of 98,000 as a minimum. It was hoped other goods could not take place that greater reductions in naval expenditure would be possible nex, this morning. Customers of the

As regards the Army, the War Office had agreed to a reduction their own arrangements to get of £17,000,000 and 33,000 men, which was equivalent to cancelling supplies, which are plentiful both twenty-four line battalions and the equivalent of five cavalry regiments and a forty per cent. reduction in Artillery. Sir Robert Horne said the Committee's recommendation of a reduction of 54,000 men had been reduced to 39,000, owing to the Indian Government's changing | ing, and the same state of affairs their mind with regard to the number of British troops they needed. | prevailed in Nowicon. The Army, excluding India and the Colonies, would be reduced by milkers are still at work. 24,000 men, compared to pre-war a rength. Instead of six Divisions stead of goods being delivered, sent overses, at the beginning of the war, we would only be able they have to be fetched. now to send two Divisions in the first month of any emergency.

Sir Rober: Horne said the Air Force was reducing its estimates Dairy Farm that their branch from 1812 millions this year to 1032 millions next year. The Committee of Imperial Defence was enquiring into the question of the establishment of a Ministry of Defence.

After mentioning the reductions that would be effected in the Ministries of Labour, Health and Pensions, Sir Robert Horne said in view of urgent representations from powerful bodies of husiness men, including cablegrams from many parts of the Empire (notably the Australian Association of British Manufacturers) the Govern ment agreed that it would be a misfortune to abolish the Overseas Trade Department, as recommended by the Committee, but it would reduce the expenses of administration, saving £48,000, as compared with £94,000 under the Committee's recommendation.

Summing up. Sir Robert Horne said out of £86,000,000 reductions recommended by the Committee, the Government boys and amans generally say accepted £64,090,000, including £11,000,000 attributable to savings from Washington and £1,000,000 on oil. The Government intended but that they have been told that to do its utmost to effect further savings. They would be able to reduce the provisional estimates by £54,000,000 in the next financial year but it was anticipated that the Estimates during the next financial year would be £484,000,000, compared with £665,000,000 shis year.

#### THE CONFERENCE TREATIES

Big Campaign Against Ratification.

London, March 1.

The Morning Post's Washington correspondent says a full-page advertisement in the Washington Post, for which "The All-America | National Council " is responsible, calls on the American people to defeat the Washington Treaties, "as a denial of our ideals and a bag and bagzage. Many of the suggeder of our interests". The signatories to the advertisement are mostly "hyphenateds", suggesting that Irish and Teutonic elements are endeavouring to wreck the Treaties out of hatred of England. The advertisement is part of the tactics of the Opposition, who are playing for time and hoping to create public sentiment have no homes here to which to against the Treaties.

The debate on the Yap Treaty has seriously disturbed the supporters of the Administration. If as much time is consumed on each of the other Treaties as on the Yap Treaty, the debate will their servants cease work they are collecting the strikers, and when drag along for many weeks, whereas the Administration hoped that two or three weeks would be sufficient.

The attack on the Yap Treaty was led by Senator Johnson (Republican leader), who declared that Japan had got Yap and other ex-German possessions in the Pacific as the result of a secret Anglo-Japanese Agreement for a division of the spoils of war in the Pacifi The opposition to the Yap treaty is Trivial compared to the fight which will be made on the Four Power Treaty.

#### TORPEDOING OF DUTCH STEAMER.

Claim Against German Government.

Amsterdam, March 1. In view of the result of the inquiry into the sinking of the Tubenia during the war, the Royal Dutch Lloyd is claiming ten million guilders from the German Government as compensation.

CANTON. FROM

BOYS, COOKS AND AMAHS LEAVE WORK. DAIRY FARM COOLIES JOIN MOVEMENT.

Office Staffs Threatened

The general sympathetic strike of household servants is now in Most houses are without any servants whatever.

The "Empire State" has had trouble with her Cantoness crew at Shanghai. Being dismissed, they refused to leave the ship, and the U.S. Marshal of Police had to come aboard and put them ashore. Large numbers of special constables continue to be enrolled. Chinese endeavouring to walk to the British border to entrain

back to Kowloon by rail. The Dairy Farm coolies have joined the strike movement, and no supplies can be delivered; they must be fetched. The Kow-

which is as follows:loon branch is to be closed. The native servants of the Astor House Hotel and of Kingsclere

have ceased work. The Police are appealing for the loan of motor-cars and the services of drivers in connection with transport work.

#### LATE OFFICIAL NEWS.

We are officially informed by Mr. Hallifa x. Secretary for Chinese Affairs, that a telegram has been received from Canton late this afternoon stating that four seamen's delegates are arriving from Canton by the morning train with full powers to settle the saamen's strike. They will be accompanied by members of the Canton Chamber of Commerce.

Dairy Farm have had to make in Hongkong and in Kowloon The Dairy Farm's head shop was basaiged with people all the morn-

Notice is now given by the Idepot at Kowloon will be closed to-night as trouble is anticipated. Custom-rs are advised to purchase milk and other supplies from the main depotat Wyndham Street, which will be kept open:

Servants Go Out.

To-day there is scarcely household in the Colony which is not minus at least one servant. In most instances the whole staffs have disappeared. When could. questioned on the matter, the that they do not wish to leave. if they do not cease work they will be either tortured or killed. We heard one of case in which the houseboy and coolie informed their mistress that they regretted having to go, but that she would find the sticks chapped up for the morning fire and everything "al ploppa" in the kitchen. In another case, the houseboy asked if he might leave his clothes and other belongings in the servants' quarters as long as he was our, but he was promptly-told if he wanted to leave have to would houseboys are complaining that if they are forced to strike the will have nowhere to go, as th cannot get out of the Colony and go. In this connection, we would again impress on householders the advisability of seeing that once not permitted to use servants'

quarters. The intimidation of servants has been done by means of personal calls and letters, mostly by the former method, as many of them cannot read. Yesterday in Kowprosperous-looking Chinese in Enropean clothes was seen visiting servants' quarters with books under his arm, and he is believed to have been busy inducing servants to join in the strix e.

It was after tiffin to-day that the strike of houseboys became most apparent. In those houses where the servants had remained on duty up to that time, practically all the boys informed their. employers that they must leave gram from our blustells correct bread was made at the place this coming that they port the up they to the terms to be a first

Among the latest workers to already come out. This marning leave duty is the Dairy Farm the down Poak frams twere coolies in consequence of which prowded with native servants

At the Hotels.

In addition to the staff-less hotels of yesterday the A-tor! House Hotel has to be included the office staffs will leave work in the list, the whole of the staff as requested. Even the comexcept the non-Chinese cooks pradore departments of the big leaving this morning. Meals will firms are affected. be supplied to residents, but no to others. The bar has had to be closed and so there is not a Enropean bar open in the Colony now. The Annamite cooks who re-

main have been the recipients of threatening letters, and their at titude is wavering as a result The French Consul General is using t is influence.

At the other hotels lady residents were busy this morning doing cleaning work and at the Hongkong Hotel volunteers have been found for the lifts. At the hingsclere Hotel this morning fined oil. there were no servants and re-I sidents had to light the boilers and stoves and manage as best they

The Attempted Exodus. On the road to Shumchun it is ike a small army in retreat. The strikers cannot obtain permits to (From Our Own Correspondent.) l-ave the Colony by train and so they are attempting to reach the frontier by road and then catch a delayed owing to trouble with train in Chinese territory to take her Cantonese crew. She sails them up to Canton. All day yes- at noon-to-day. The crew took tramping the road. Carrying their were minor distrubances here, which has also advertised for luggage, the usual baskets and The Company decided to disalong the road in small bands in here and to replace them with Station presented a busy appearthe direction of the boundary, halt | Ningpo men. The Cantonese reing now and then for rest and food. fused to leave the ship and the U.S. motor cycle riders were enrolled Hundreds of them there are, but Marshal of Police was called and for the patrolling of the town postpone his dance.—Page 4. none of them are reaching their the crew put ashore. They will the police ask for the names of destination. Some hundreds at lineally be sent to their homes. tempted to break through yester-| The steerage passengers, mostly day and failed, and the party seen | Cantonese, started a sympathetic on the march this morning was demonstration but were finally estimated at about five hundred quietened. and they, too, are all being stopped and sent back to Hongkong.

It is utterly impossible for the strikers to get through to Canton. Police and Indian troops are stationed on the road and are they have a batch, sending them back to Hongkong by the first available train. Owing to th number attempting to reach Chinese territory by road increas ing, a party of the King's (Liverpool) Regiment went up this morning to augment the force so aw and order already guarding the way, and if the strikers su . caed in breaking through bis barrier, there are still Europ an

have to pass. Owing to the passenger traffic on the railway having decreased. the time table is being curtailed

A Denial Yesterday we published a tale

duty in the foreign firms and in foreigners' private houses, notwithstanding they belong to

their fature would, be very dangerous indeed. N.B.—This guild is respon-

the 3rd, instant.

owing to strike, cannot resume Hongkong.

1st March, 1922. It is generally expected that

In the Harbour.

The situation is the harbour is practically what it was yesterday. Arrivals and departures continue. Iwo interesting departures were the B. and S. steamer Chinhua Cheongshing, both of which have lest for Shanghai.

Amongst the arrivals there are two interesting boats-the new on her maiden trip, and the Amer ican steamer Dixie Arrow, which prought here 11,300 tons of re-

"EMPIRE STATE" DELAYED.

Cantonese Crew Causes Trouble.

Shanghai, March 2. The Empire State has been hundles, with them, they stream | miss the entire Cantonese crew

At the Bakeries.

There was the usual scene at Wiseman's this morning where there was again plenry of bread. It is only the delivery service which direct. When the abop opened soon after nine o'clock there was a long queue of people waiting and the stream of customers prevailed all the morning. Notwithstanding the guarantee

given by the police of adequate protection in the form of a police guard, the baker of the the French Store, who is a non-Chinese, has given way under the to institute the Examination threats of the strikers and has Service on all vessels, as was in troops on the frontier whom they left his post. A party of six men existence during the late war, visited the bakery at Wanchail Examination vessels flying the other day and threatened to Blue E sign and Examination on demonstra-day was 24 4 1/18 shoot him if he did not join the Ping will lay in these Examp. movement. The threat after be ation Anchorages, both cast and ing repeated neveral times had west of the harbour. All junks pecatures—38 Handdity :--91.

Police Passes.

We are asked by the Police sailing on March 1st, carrying a authorities to state that persons in possession of valid passports do police for any person other than not need any further Police permit when leaving the Colony.

Mr. P. A. Cox, General Agent to leave the Colony.

Rush to be "Specials."

One of the most generally Large numbers turned up at Special Police Permit for any discussed topics in town was Central Police Station this morn- passengers other than crew. In widely circulated among the constables. Everybody was in a irregularity of permit the junk foreign offices by some agency at cheery mood and the scene was or launch should be held and present unknown in which all the greatly reminiscent of the days turned over to the police. clerks and office boys have been when men rushed to the The call for police is urged to leave work. We are en- recruiting offices at Home during Code Flag "S" or telephone abled to give a copy of the notice the early part of the war. It is the through Battery to Water Police same spirit now as then. Every-Station. "The Strike has now reached body is anxious to do something. These Regulations do not apply its serious phase. As every in the Government's time of to steamers except that steamers guild has followed its ex- need and the special constable leaving or entering from the ample, this Guild (the Clerks' recruiting officials are having a westward must use the Sulphur

and Office Boys' Guild) for the busy time. The men were sworn Channel. from the 3rd, instant all on cheon.

Wood Supplies.

who brought up a number of (2) Three White Vertical lights this guild or no, should stop Chinese at the Police Court this if the Port is open. The above morning for cutting trees on a lights will be carried in addition to Government plantation, firewood the ordinary navigation lights, is not to be obtained for love or and will show an unbroken light money at the ordinary shops. A de- all round the horizon. sible to get jobs for those, who, pot, however, is in existence at the Public Works Denamment depot when entrance to the Port is protheir former duties afterwards. at Wanchai, at which a picul of hibited, three Red vertical balls wood can be purchased for \$2.20 my day or three vertical lights : The four men charged were each hy night will be hoisted at the. fined \$2.

4 Chinese who went in for being ho sted in the Framination tree-cutting on a large scale was steamers:-Eastern Entrances, fined \$10 by the Magistrate. It Pa. Sha-wan Battery; Western was mentioned that he was cutting down a big pine tree when

he was caught by the forest guard the price of necessities have forced the Chinese restuarants early last night and the darkened Harbour Office. streets presented a deserted ap-

A well-known milliner's shop N.Y.K. Haruna Maru, which is in town may be deserted by its tailors, according to information received. It appears from this that those who have a mind to join the movement are only waiting to receive their monthly pay before they leave. .

The Chinese clerks of one French firm that we know of, are reported to have struck work

siready. Organising Transport.

A large number of trucks and Page 5. trollies in fact all that may be needed for the maintenance of essential supplies in the event of be found on Page 5. the ordinary services being suspended-have been requisiterday and to-day they have been a strike vote at sea and there tioned by the Traffic Departmen

voluntary workers. The vicinity of the Central Police ance this morning as voluntary Page 4. motor car owners who are willing late Sir Ellis Kadooris must be to lend cars for transport pur sent to Deacon, Looker, Deacon poses, and would also like to hear acd Harston forthwith. Page 4. of motor drivers who are willing A police notice regarding perto help in case of need.

The Shops.

the other provision shops are transport work .- Page 4. unable to deliver goods although The annual general meeting of all have plenty of supplies. the Hongkong Hotel Coy is postis interrupted, residents baving Hongkong has been driven back poned until further notice. to direct shopping as is general Page 4. at Home among the working classes. And when one has roomed flat is for sale. Page 4. stated that fact one has explained nearly all there is to be said Kashima Maru is being landed at

Examination Service.

case of going to get what one

The Government has decided

the desired effect, and no more and launches going out and launches

The state of direct and the

Examination Anchorages and anchor. Launches going out will be covered by a permit from the crew and a clearance from the Harbour Office for the launch set-It is notified in our advertising line out the destination, number

> a clearance from the Harbour Office setting forth number of crew, cargo permit and the

sake of unity, humanity, and in, by Mr. J. R. Wood, the By day the distinguishing flags for protection of lives of every magistrate. They were sworn in for Strike Examination Vessels individual, should start to in batches of about 20, the period will be a Special flag (White and suspend duty from the night of of service being three months. Red horizontal surrounded by a Each man was issued with an Blue border) and a Blue Ensign. "It is hereby notified that armlet, a whistle and a trun- Also three red vertical balls if the Port is closed.

By night the Examination Steamers will carry :- (1) Three According to Inspector Watt. vertical lights if the Port is closed.

> When the Port is closed, i. e. f llowing places in addition to

En'rince, Green Island. If the Harbour Master considers lit desirable to close only one The scarcity of firewood and entrance by day the following signals will be hoisted :-- rastern Entrance closed, 3 red balls at and eating house to close their PakSha-wan Examination Batdoors. The greater number of tery; Western Entrance closed, and the Indo-hina steamer Chinese shops closed their dcors 3 red balls at Green Island and

(Continued on Page 7.)

News in To-day's New Advertisements.

The Matriculation and Senior Local Examinations in connection with Hongkong University commence on June 12.—Page 4 Cargo per m.s. Tongking is being carried on to Shanghai.-

A General Average notice rezarding the Alaska Maru will

Tea dances are being held at the Hongkong Hotel to-night, Friday and Saturday.—Page 4. A Hollander seeks a situation. -Page 4.

A house at Cheung Chau is to let for the summer months.

Mr. B. Tanner has had to Claims against the estate of the mits\_to leave the Colony appears on Page 4.

The Police call upon owners of Mesars. Lane, Crawford's and motor vehicles to loan them for

The entire furniture of two-

All Hongkong Cargo per about the food supply. It is a | Shanghai - Page 4. There is a comedy-satire at the Coronet to-night entitled

To-Day's Exchange.

"Ine New York Idea."-Page 7.

The closing rate of the dollar The Weather. 2 p.m. Barometer 29.97 Tem-NOTICE.

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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

#### PRINCESS MARY'S WEDDING.

London, Feb. 23. Despite gloomy weather forecasts and much rain during the night, Princess Mary's wedding morn dawned brightly; and with the dawn a pilgrimage began. The route was crowded by seven in the morning, mostly women and children; but trams, busses and railways later brought thousands and all were in the happiest spirits in the spring sunshine. The outlook from Buckingham Palace at ten in the morning along a mall of packed spectators was remarkable, and members of the Royal Family, including the bride, came to the Palace windows to gaze on the living avenue. Invited guests going afoot to the Abbey found difficulty in getting through the dense crowds thronging the precincts. Everywhere people were waving Union Jacks, many of which were inscribed "Long live the King." No one found the waiting dull. Troops with their hands went marching by to take up their positions and there was a stream of motors conveying uniformed officers, officials and bejewelled ladies in wonderful costumes proceeding to the Abbey long before the time fixed for the arrival of the Royal party.

Tremendous cheering greeted the almost simultaneous appearance of the Queen's procession from Buckingham Palace and Queen Mother Alexandra's from Marlborough House. The Queen was with her three sons in a glass coach and wore a hat of golden tissue surmounted by a plume of white ostrich feathers. She had a magnificent ermine cloak covering a costume of plain gold. The Queen-Mother Alexandra wore a beautiful dress of gold and black brocade trimmed with old lace.

The bells of St. Margaret's crashed a merry peal on the arrival at the Abbey of her procession followed by the Queen's procession a minute later. Ten minutes elapsed before the bride left the Palace. The King in the uniform of the Grenadier Guards tenderly handed his daughter into the carriage (known as the Irish Coach because it was built in Ireland), then took his seat beside her. The Princess was a vision of loveliness in a magnificent wedding dress. She looked pale but smiled happily in response to the tumultuous reception. Three carriages preceded and followed the sovereign's with a glittering escort. The crowd vented its enthuslasm, unrestrainedly and many women were moved to tears.

Shortly before the Royal processions started, Viscount Lascelles left Chesterfield House in a closed motor car accompanied by the best man, Sir Victor Mackenzie, both in the uniform of the Grenadiers. They were enthusiastically greeted. The gaiety filling the streets was reflected even inside the Abbey, whose customary sombre grey was transformed into a spectacle of glowing - colour.

A bright crimson curpet covered the stone fitor of the nave and choir, ending at the sacrarium, where the wonderful colouring and ornamentations on the High Altar and masses of dimly burning gandles formed a superb setting to the ceremony. Streams of sunshine through the windows played upon the lavish display of crimson and gold braid, decorations and jewels worn,by the very distinguished representatives of every aspect of life of the Empire. The arrival of the Corps of Gentlemen at Arms in scarlet and gold, warrying halberds, to take up positions at the transepts, completed the setting of the superb pageant awaiting the arrival of the bride.

Viscount Lascelles, who was seated in the sacratium, rese when the Royal party, including Queens Mary and "Alexandra, arrived; and remained standing awaiting the bride, whose entry was neralded by the choir singing unaccompanied "Lead us Heavenly

The bride's procession was headed by the Canons in magnificent vestments, then the choir and Dean of Westminster preceding the bride who walked with her head proudly erect and her left hand restly lightly on the King's right arm. Viscount Lascelles advanced and stood beside the Princess on the top steps of the sacrarium, then ten bridesmaids standing on the foot steps and the King slightly behind the Princess, while the whole Royal party stood within the rails of the High Altar. The Queen, whose eyes were steadily fixed on her daughter throughout the ceremony, was with the other Riyal ladies visibly affected as the Dean of Westminster began the ceremony with the opening exhortation.

The Archbishop of Canterbury, replacing the Dean of Westminster, conducted the service, the bride and bridegroom making responses in firm boud voice. Both knelt during the final prayers. The Archbishop of Canterbury, addressing the pair, emphasised the fact that they were at present the very focus of interest and the prayers of millions of people worldwide. He believed that no daughter of a reigning King had ever before been married at the Abbey. He referred to the war services of Viscount Lascelles, the services of the Princess in hospital, her leadership and disclblined English girlhood, and concluded by bidding them God Speed on behalf of the Empire and people. There were renewed scenes of enthusiasm when the Royal procession returned through the

A striking incident on the return from the Abbey was that the roar of cheering in Whitehall ceased when the people noticed the bridal pair halted at the Constaph. Princess Mary handed the Sergeant Major of the Guards on duty a portion of her wedding bougget of white chrysanthemums and lilies of the valley to place at the base of the Monument. Viscount Lascelles saluted gravely when the Sergeant Major laid the flowers without a card or inscription in the centre of the other floral tributes.

Beholders of the Abbey scene were more impressed by the family nature of the ceremony than even by the splendour of the spectacle. The final touch of this family aspect was given at Buckingham Palace on the occasion of the departure for the honeymion in Shropshire, the King and his sons standing at the exit archway in front of the Palace, while the guests pelted the bride and bridegroom, as the open landau and four grey horses emerged, with rice and confetti. They did so with such vigour that both had to stoop low to avoid the enslaught, all laughing heartily. The Queen was not present but remained in the Grand Hall, where she just tearfully bade farewell to her daughter. The route to Paddington was still crowded with spectators, who gave the happy couple a most enthusiastic send-off.

The King in the cturse of a message to the nation expresses his deepest thanks, for the warm and affectionate good wishes of his subjects throughout the Empire on this happy and memorable occasion. The goodwill of the people throughout the realm is appreciated and the more vividly because many are at present

living in the shadow of the greatest hardship and anxiety. The wedding special from Paddington to Shifnal was greeted with tremendous enthusiasm along the entire route. Whole populations turned out tumultuously and cheered the passing train. 'All railway platforms and other vantage points were packed with waving throngs. Complete schools, boys and girls, assembled at some places. The special passed Leamington, Birmingham and Wolverhampton stations slowly, enabling the waiting crowds to convey cordial greetings. The special accomplished a non-stop run arriving at Shifnal to the minute.

Paris, March 1.

The press devotes much space to Princes Mary's wedding. giving minute descriptions of the presents and dresses. Marshal Foch, interviewed on the occasion, dwelt on the British Army's heroism during the war. He said it was fitting to recall tragic memories at a time when Britain was proudly sounding the praises of the Royal Family. He declared that all France was happy in its homage to the Illustrious House to which France's most faithful friend Edward the Peacemaker belonged and of which King George and the Prince of Wales had gained her sincere affection.

Le Matin, commenting, says the Allied Generalissimo's tribute is a bunch of roses of France worthy of Mary of England's J.f :ughter.

#### EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

#### AMERICAN SHIPPING.

. Washington, March 1,

President Harding has presented to Congress a shipping subsidy plan providing thirty-two million dollars annually, provided principally by diversion of ten per cent, of the American customs receipts. Not more than fifty per cent. of immigrants may be transported in foreign ships. The Shipping Board's vessels will be sold and the proceeds used as a construction loan fund. The President further recommended granting the railroads the right to operate steamship lines and the enforcement of the section of the Merchant Marine Act providing preferential rail and steamship rates on through shipments via American vessels.

President Harding advised the insurance of American vessels at no greater cost than foreign ships and declared that he anticipated the stiffest foreign mercantile competition. He urged awakening of American pride and determination to carry its own commerce. He described the war-time creation of America's great tinnage as an experimental venture which had failed at enormous cost and added that the proposals aimed at returning the industry to private enterprise in which they would be safeguarded against private greed withour discouraging the hope of profitable invest-

#### BRITAIN AND EGYPT.

London, March 1. The Government has published a declaration addressed to the

Sultan of Egypt in regard to the future status of Egypt, laying down the following principles:

(1.) The British protictorate over Egypt is terminated and Egypt is declared an independent sovereign state. (2.) As soon as the Egyptian Government passes an Act of Indemnity applying to all Egyptian inhabitants martial law as

proclaimed on 2nd November, 1914, shall be withdrawn. (3.) The following matters are absolutely reserved to the British Government's discretion until it is possible to conclude

agreements thereanent between the British and Egyptian Governments, namely, security of Linpire communications in Egypt, defence of Exppt against all foreign aggression and interference either direct ir indirect, protection of foreign interests in Egypt and protestion of minorities, and the Soudan. Pending the conclusion of a fee dents the statoh quo in all these matters shall remain intact.

#### THE GENOA CONFERENCE.

London, March I.

The possibility of Russia's refusing to participate in the Genoa disposed of. All the ponies belong, been arrived at in Peking, through Conference is suggested in a telegram from Moscow, which says |mg to the late Sir Ellis Kadocrie | the new British Consulat Amoy, that M. Chicherin has declared that the proposal to fix a six months' probation for Russia is absolutely inacceptable. Russia taken in the sale of the old warrior desired to treat as an equal with equals and rejected any form of Hongkong Chief. Bidding started. tutelage or admission of inferiority. If such a proposal was adopted as a preliminary basis of the conference, Russia's participation would become problematical.

Helsingfors, March 1. " A message from Moscow reports that at a conference delegutes of the Siviet republics of Azerbaijan, Armenia, White Russia, Bokhara, Georgia, Ukraine, Khorosin and the Far Eastern Republic have signed a protocol authorising Soviet Russia to represent them at the Genoa Conference.

#### THE PREMIER DISAPPOINTED.

London, March L. The Parliamentary correspondent of the Daily Telegraph reports that Mr. Lloyd George is most dissatisfied at not receiving the loyal support of Parliament to which he is entitled and has written to Mr. Chamberlain, as head of the Unionists, expressing his feelings in plain terms and intimating that he cannot continue to submit to the present humiliating conditions. The Telegraph in an editorial says Mr. Lloyd George is completely justified and the continuance of such treatment as he has received must render his resignation inevitable.

#### DISARMAMENT AND PROHIBITION.

Washington, March 1. The Senate's first action in connection with the Disarmament

Treaties was the rejection by 50 to 23 of the amendment to the Yap Treaty amplifying the provision that existing treaty rights should not be abridged. The Senate also rejected the proposal to extend prohibition to the mandated islands.

#### SOUTH AFRICAN STRIKES.

Johannesburg, March 1.

The Government has seized the power station, but the voluntgers have not yet got steam up. The city is again in darkness. Dynamiting is increasing. Eight heavy explisions took place to-day, five on the power line, but with little damage. A fatal affray occurred at Boksburg, two strikers being killed. A policeofficer and two men were wounded.

Capetown, March 1. The strike debate in the Assembly ended in the rejection of the Opposition motions and the adoption of a Government amendment advising an immediate return to work pending enquiry by an impartial board.

#### GERMAN REPARATIONS.

Berlin, March 1. A provisional agreement has been reached between the Reparations Commission and Germany. It provides for an annual payment of gold marks 720,000,000 cash and 1,450,000,000 in kind. The former does not increase and if the latter is not reached there will be simplification of machinery for distribution of orders' for goods, which are expected mainly to comprise articles not competing with the Entente's own industries. Steps are to be taken to eliminate the middleman.

#### -INGERSOLL'S FAILURE.

New York, March 1. The creditors of Ingersolls on 22nd Feb. has authorised the sale of its property on 10th March, unless an offer of one and a half million dollars is received in the next ten days.

#### RUSSIAN FAMINE RELIEF.

London, March 1. The Russian Famine Relief Fund, the Save the Children Fund and the Society of Friends, three bodies at present engaged in sending relief to Russia, have agreed to combine their efforts. Sir James Robertson has undertaken the direction of operations, assisted by a representative of each of the three societies. An All-British appeal for support is to be issued.

#### EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

#### BANQUE INDUSTRIELLE.

Paris, March J. The Cabinet has decided to ask the Foreign Affairs Ocumitteeof the Chamber to shelve the proposal for a Parliamentary inquiryinto the failure of the Banque Industrielle de Chine, in view of the fact that judicial investigation is to follow in normal course.

#### DUTCH INDIAN OIL TAXATION,

Amsterdam, Feb. 23. Interviewed by the Hague Post, Sir Francis Deterding denounced the Dutch Indian oil taxation and declared he would drive: the Royal Dutch from the Dutch Indies. "

#### BRITISH MONEY FOR FRANCE.

London, March 1. A five million storling loan paying six per cent, and issued: at eighty-six for the Paris-Lyons-Mediterranean (railway) has: been subscribed in London in a few minutes.

#### ENGINEERING DEADLOCK.

London, March 1. The conference of engineering employers and workers has been abortive and the possibility of a lockout on 11th March is in nowise-

#### UNINFLAMMABLE FILM.

Berlin, March 1. The chemist Schaaf has exhibited a newly invented noninflammable celluloid film, which merely melts under great heat.

#### RACE PONIES.

#### Sale at Jockey Club Stables.

Removed. The sale of mee ponies; conduct. I Yesterday Messrs. Busterfield. of by Mr. A. E. W. Davis, or and Swire received a telegram Messes Hughes and Hough, from their Amoy office informing anctioneers, yesterday afternoon them that the boycott against at the Joeken Club Stables, the firm has been completerealised just over \$4,000. Sixty it withdrawn. No particulars five animals figured on the are to hand, but it seems catalogue and all but 14 were that a satisfactory settlement bas-

a re offered, great interest being lat \$300 and there followed Ispirited competition between Mr. H. P. White and Mr. A. M. L. Soares, the pony being eventually knocked down to the latter for \$1,050-for and away the highest amount paid for any single pony. Repulse Bay Chief was purchased by Mr. H. M. H. Nemazee for \$500. Messrs Potts and Hayim's Cutty Sark King, one of the favourity posties for the Derby, which went lame a few days substantiated. before the rucks, failed to go higher than the nuctioneer's bid of \$500 and was withdrawn, Flotson,"

bereated a hig surprise by fetching no bes blan \$200. The old Gymkhana pano Lighting wasecured by Mr. J. E. H. Bibby. the well-known pole player, for 5180. The only other animals to reach the \$100 mark were! Neston (bought in by the owner, Dr. Forsythe Mountain Goat and Rosman Dusk, sold to Capt. Hanney.

The ponies, purchasers and! prices realised are given below: 1 Blue don, 13.2, larsen grif-2 Lucky Star, 13.1, Mr. Chak 20 3 Snakefish, 13.2, Mr. Chak..... 4 Twin Star, 13.2, Mr. Chak....

5 Three Star, 13.2, Mr. Chas..... 6 Chestnat pony. Mr. Chak 20 7 Blue Roan pony, Mr. Chak 20 8 St. Anthony, 13.1, withdrawn .....

9 Killieerankie, 13.1, Mr. Hockey.... 10 Kilwinning, 13.2. Capt. Hanney ..... 11 Kilmalcolm, 12.3, Mr. Chak ......

12 Manhattan, 13.2, Mr. Chak 13 Blind Mouse, 13.1, Mr. Chak 14 Chestnut pony, back, Mr. Chak .... 15 Grey Martin, withdrawn. 16 Hongkong Chief, 13.3, win-

ner many races. Shanghai and Hongkong, Mr. A. M. 17 Repulse Bay Chief, 18.0. winner many races Hongkong, Mr. H. M. H. Nemazee ..... 18 Shek O Chief, 12.3," Capt.

Hanney .....

19 Lantao Chief, 49.1, Mr.

Kynoch......75 20 Cutty Sank King, with-21 Martial Dablin, 13.1, 3rd Trial Plate, withdrawn..... 22 Shamfock Dahlin, 13.0, Mr. Chick. 23 The /Mangosteen, 12.3,

Capt. Honney .... 24 Bajarilo, 13.1, Dr. Esler... 25 Arvakur, 13.2, Mr. Chak... 26 Flotsem, 18.1, Mr. Rock 260 27 Jetsam, 18.0, Mr. Chee ... 28 Hursy-up, 13.1, winner Wonk-nei-chong Stakes.

#### THE AMOY TROUBLE.

### Boycott Against B. and S.

The boycott was declared lover the building of a pier, the Chinese claiming that this and other acts on the foreshore of the Concession infringed Chipa's territorial rights: It will be remembered that men brought from Shanghni to construct. the pier were assaulted and H.M.S. Unrliste Incided blue jackets to afford protection. Early in the shipping strike the Amoy happenings were alleged to be one of the causes of our present trouble, but that statement has never been

Lusitano Cup and Brd Rialto Stakes and Tytam Handicap, withdrawn..... 29 Gossoon, 13.0, Mr. Chak 20 30 The Mite, 13.0. Capt. Hanney ..... 60 31 Caligula, 13.2, Mr. Heyn 80 32 Lamma Chief, 12.3, Mr. 33 Lown Chief. 13.1, Mr. 34 Tai Hang Chief, 1371, Mr. Chak..... 20 Finale Stakes, " Capt. Hanney ...... Imp 20 | 36 The Stiff, 13.1, Mr. Sig ... 4.7. 37 Roan Pony, 13.1, larsen, Mr. Heyn ..... 60 38 Fearthatleg, 13.1, B Class,

39 Deuces " Wild. 13.2. B Class, Mr. Chak...... 55 40 Humorist, 13.0, Mr. Lim. 45 41 Viper, 13.1, Capt. Ham ey. 45 42 Fishshop, 13.1, 3rd All Out Stakes, withdrawn 43 White Polo Pony, Mr. 20 44 Batman, 13.1, Mr. Sin ... 40

20 45 Stockman, 13.1, Mr. Rock, 115 46 Zanjan, 13.1, Mr. Chak ... 15 20 47 Arsenjan, 13.0, withdrawn ..... 20 48 Neston 12.3, bought in... 115

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Chak ...... 20 53 Dun Griffin, wilbdrawn .... 54 Poge 13.0, Mr. Rock ...... 90 55 Moses Mainchance, 2nd Also Ran Stakes, 3rd Finale Stakes, withdrawn.....

56 Gabriel Junks, Mr. Chak ... 20 57 Pull Devil Pull Baker. withdrawn ..... 58 Independent Jimmy, Mr. Chak ..... 20

50 James Pigg, withdrawn .... 60 Bamboo River, withdrawn ..... Gl Acepot, Capt. Hanney .... 62 Bluff, Mr. Chak 63 Aloha, withdrawn,.....

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(From Our Own Correspondent.)

CHINA AND THE

CONFERENCE.

Dictor John C. Ferguson, advise

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SHANGHAI SUICIDE.

At the inquest on the late Mrs.

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Sergeant Pelling, of the British

Police, the Court returned a verdict

of spicid, while mentally unsocned.

MANAGER.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

First Round Results.

the Hongkong Cricket Club corn-

menced yesterday afternoon. The

ground was in good condition, but

unfortunately several entrants

In the Club Championship Lieut.

A. S. Lindsell secured an easy win-

over E. L. Leader, 6-3, 6-0, 6-2.

C. C. Stark had a walk-over,

Sandberg failing to turn up.

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Trambitzky, to turn up.

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The annual tennis tournament of

sails in the Empire State.

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Shanghai, March L.

#### BY MARIAN HALE

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#### COLONY'S FOOD SUPPLIES.

SATISFACTORY GOVERNMENT ASSURANCES.

#### Steps to be Taken to Prevent Profiteering.

The Colonial Secretary's Office forwarded last night for publication the following statement of the Government's measures in the community's behalf:

A Committee, which has direct access to those responsible for the essential services of the Colony, has been established to give effect to the Ordinance passed on the 28th February, 1922.

The Committee has investigated the question of the supply of Foodstuffs (including Flour and Rice). Coal and Firewood. It's finds that there is a plentiful supply for the normal residents of the Colony in their ordinary avocations. Arrangements are being made that such supplies as are ordinarily imported daily shall continue as uninterruptedly as possible. Steps are being taken to prevent prices unduly rising.

. Distribution of the above commodities is in course of arrangement, and even detailed distribution is being provided for with the assistance of the Community.

The Pass Office for the Issue of Passes to leave the Colony is in being at the Central Police Station.

Protection of the public and determined action with regard to thise who may attempt to undermine the well-being of the Community has been carefully dualt with, and the maintenance of law and order is fully provided for. It is, therefore, unnecessary, for ordinary tusiness life to be interrupted.

. There are several ships in the Harbour leaded with Rice which must be discharged as rapidly as possible for the benefit of the public, otherwise this commodity will deteriorate and cause suffering. Arrangements are being made for it to be unloaded: It is requested that owners of godown space should notify the Assistant Colonial Secretary of the extent, nature and whereabouts of their facilities, in order that supplies may be adequately stored and duly distributed at reasonable prices.

Firewood will be placed on sale by the Givernment from noon to-morrow at the Wanchai Public Works Department Depot. at \$2.20 a picul. Peak residents requiring coal should apply to the Union Insurance Society.

#### RUGBY INTERPORT.

#### Hongkong Players Due Yesterday

Considerable interest is being | U.S. SHIPPING BOARD taken in the Shanghai-Hongkong Shanghalf March 1. ever played between the two ports. Mr. R. C. Morton, Shipping which is fixed for Tuesday, March Board Manager for the Far Hast, 7th. The Hongkong team, con-

sisting of 17 players, including 14 as follows: from the Services and three eivilians, was due to arrive in Capt. E. C. Cross, King's Regt., Shankhai vesterday. It is also A. M. D. Wallace, Lieut. Landale, hoped that an interport hockey "Alacrity," and Lieut. Groom. tootball game will be played.

played on the S. C. C. field, by Lieut. Davies, B.G.A., (hulf-backs); courtesy of the Club committee, Lieut. Graham. "Cairo." Lieut. will give Shanghai the best test at Menzies, "Ambrose." the game that they have had this Galpin, "Ambrose." Lieut, Morseason, says the China Press. The timer, R.G.A., H. H. Day, Lieut. visiting players are all competent Cavis-Brown, "Cairo," A. H. K. rugby men, practiced well up, and Cobb, Lieut. Harrison, "Durban." combining in team work to a and "Lieut. Hay, "Durban." nicety. Shanghai will have even (forwards). a stronger team than that which won over Hankow, better trained, and fit to play with Hongkong's

E. L. Leader (scr.) beat, G. H. best. Piercy (rec. 4/6), 7-5, 6-1, in the Should the hockey match be played, Shanghai also should In the open Doubles Champion- fare well, notwithstanding their ship the brothers H. D. and A."H. defeat in the interport match at through failure of their opponents, L. Nelson had a walk over in ) the knock-out tournament just be- 32,27. of seasoned players to choose from. colour."

Shanghai Rugby men are arranging a big program of entertainment for the Hongkong sportsmen. They will be entertained during their stay in the homes of local rugby club ruen, and aside from the usual dinners, dances, etc., a special A:D:C. performance will be arranged. The duration of the Hongkong players' interport rugby match, the first stay in port is not yet known so no definite program has been an-

The Hongkong team is composed

Lieut. King, a.s.," (full back); match and possibly a second "Hawkins." (three quarters); Lieut. Chevalier, "Alacrity," The rugby match, which will be Lieut. Murman, "Hawkins," and

#### THE BILLIARD CHAMPIONSHIP.

Playing in the billiard cham-Rumjahn entered the second round Hankow. The selvanced senson pionship of the Colony, at the since that game has given the V.R.C. last night, S. K./Kwok M. D. C. Sandberg and L. players more practice and better beat A. G. Pile 500-327. The best efficiency, and with the finishing of breaks were: Kwok, 44,43; Pile.

the Open Singles Championship, fore the Hongkong game, the selec- Kwok played a good all round M. D. C. Sandberg was again the tion committee will have a wealth game, while Pile seemed "off

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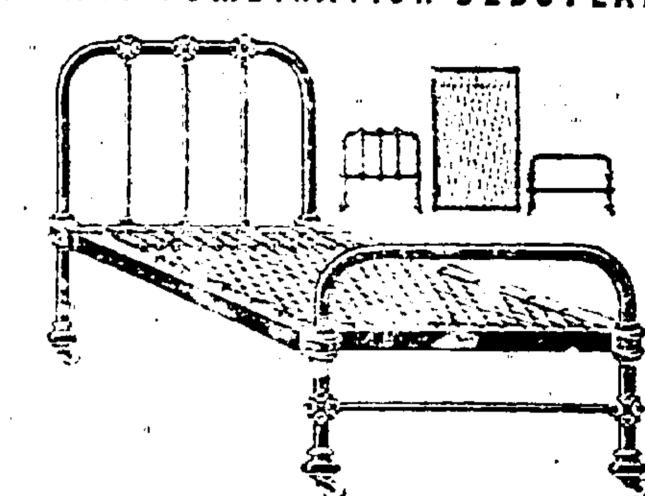
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## Registration.

approach the Council with a view the house-servant to-day is \$20, but to having servants registered this sum is not enough to keen The latter, he said, were greatly three people." alarmed and were surprised to know that these same foreign ladies were

been loyal to the utmost degree. for their assistance.

SHANGHAI HOUSEBOYS. We work on an average 16 hours a day and what we cam is insuffici-Meeting of Protest Against ent for the upreep of our families. Another thing, the cost of living inc. At a meeting of the Foreign recent years has increased consider-House-Servants Union on 23rd Feb. ably, in some case by 100 per cent. more than 200 members were pre- Some employers who have consciensent, and Pao Chen-tung presided. ces have increased our salaries by Pao, in his report, said that cer- ten per cent. in order to meet the tain foreign ladies were about to cost of living. The average wage of

> Please Cancel. Alter some discussion, one mem-

Christians who advocated love, ber stood up and made three sugjustice, social unity, etc. "We have gestions, viz., (1) that a letter bealways respected these ladies, but | written to the ladies who are at the now that they are trying to have head of the movement for registraregistration of servants enacted, we tion, asking them to cancel their cannot recognize this and will op- letter; (2) to ask the members and . representatives present to unite. Another member said that since with the servants in the various China opened her ports and enter- houses and in hotels, asking themod into communication with foreign to oppose the movement; and (3) nations, about 80 years ago, the to write a letter to all organizations Chinese working for foreigners had which are interested in the Servanta. slways done their best and had Union, asking them, as a last resort

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#### SIR ELLIS KADOORIE. DECEASED.

must be sent to the undersigned olutions. forthwith.

& HARSTON. Horgkong, 2nd, Feb. 1922.

#### UNIVERSITY OF HONOKONG.

MATRICCLATION & SENIOR LOCAL EXAMINATIONS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above examinations will commence on MONDAY, June 12th, 1922.

FORMS of entry and copies of regulations and syllabus can be obtained on application to the Registrar.

EACH entry form duly filled in must reach the REGISTRAR together with the fee of \$15, (No. 1) to be retrospective and Hongkong currency, on or before take effect from the 1st. day of nent of ordinary Port-Cha ges March 11th, 1922.

N. TEESDALE MACKINTOSH. Registrar.

#### HONGKONG HOTEL CO. LTD. General Meeting and such Meet- the port can be had on applica-NOTICE.

Company are hereby notified that, if thought fit confirming such owing to the strike, the Annual Resolutions as Special Res lu-General Meeting, advertised for tions accordingly. WEDNESDAY, March 8th. is Dated the 15th. day of Feb., 1922 postponed until further Notice.

By Order of the Board of Directors. H. N. BEAUREPAIRE.

Secretary.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

S.S. "KASHIMA MARU." Due at SHANGHAI on 6th inst. From PUGET SOUND PORTS.

Consignees of cargo for Hongkong per the above steamer are hereby notified that owing to the strike of cargo and wharf coolies. the steamer will not call at Hongkong and cargo on board for Hongkong will be landed at Shanghai. Consignees are therefore recommended to make the necessary arrangements respecting insurance etc., accordingly, The cargo will be brought on to Hongkong immedia el r conditions at this port become

normal. NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA, Agents.

Hongkong, 2nd. March, 1922.

### PERMITS TO LEAVE THE COLONY.

NY PERSON in possession o a Valid Passport does no require any Police permit to leave the Colony by train or boat Non-Chinese persons who do not possess valid passports should apply at the Office of the Deputy-Superintendent of Police, Police Headquarters, for permits to leave the Colony. This Office is on the opposite side of the Police Compound to the Pass Office.

E. D. C. WOLFE, (Capt. Supt. of Police)

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THE THIRTY EIGHTH OR-DINARY ANNUAL MEETING | A pradore Department, Hongkong OF, SHAREHOLDERS in the above COMPANY will be held at St George's Building, Chater Road, Vic oria, on Friday, the 3rd March 1922 at 11 o'clock a.m. TO LET.-FOR RENT One for the purpose of receiving a TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), statement of accounts and the Preport of the General Managers

ber, 1921, and electing a Consult- The Lord Bishop will take part. The Transfer Books of the Company will be clused from Wednesday, the 22nd February, 1922, until Friday, the 3rd March, 1922,

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#### General Managers. Hongkong, 17th, Feb., 1922.

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NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of HUMPREYS ESTATE AND FINANCE COMPANY LIMITED will be held at the Gongkong Potel on Friday the 3rd. day of March 1922 at 11,301 welock in the foremon when the ALL CLAIMS against the subjoined Resolutions will be! estate of the above deceased proposed as Extraordinary Res-

1. That Article 105 of this DEACON, LOOKER, DEACON Company's Articles of Association be altered as follows:-

(a) By the insertion of '\$10,000' in the place of "\$8,000" in the filth line thereof.

and tenth lines thereof the year of the Company" and inserting in place! thereof the words "in every year wherein such profits shall not exceed in the aggregate the sum of \$150,000, and a commission of ten per cent, per annum on all the net profits of the Company in excess of that the rates. sum".

January 1922.

passed by the required majority. I at Sebattik is 28 feet at low water they will be submitted for con- Spring Tides. Charts of Cowi firmation as Special Resolutions | Bay (Sebattik Harbour) and any to a further: Extraordinary equired information concerning ing will be held on Monday, the lion to 20th day of March, 1922, at the same time and place for the Shareholders, in the above purpose of considering and the COWIE HARBOUR COAL

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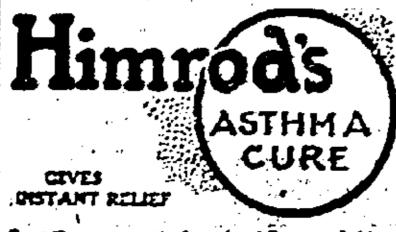
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percedence, and at a council

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Drummond "invented" the res

ident magistrate, or police

one of the problems of the new

Ore of Ireland's most distin-

zuished sone. William Connor,

ago in Cork city, states a Hem-

paper. He had the rare distinct o

of being the second Archbishop

in one family in three generations.

his grandfather having heen ap-

pointed Archbishop of Dublin

when the grandson was a few

months old. Between these two

came John Magee, William's

father, who also entered the

vicarage. The two first-named

were famous for their Irish wit,

which suffered no loss from the

tree lay deep in Scottish toil.

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Beckett.

was employed by Carpentier to knuck out George Cook, the heavy-weight champion of Australia, at the Albert Hall, London.

the loser.

In the third round Carpentier, without sacrificing anything in he way of detensive perfection, banged his right towards Cook's |chin. The blow would have landed on a chin like Beckett's, but Cook withdraw his face just |-

and he played Cook as an angler plays a trout during the greater part of the fourth round. Then the French boxer managed to get Cook into a position that permitted Carpentier to employ his favourite punch.

TWO SWIFT BLOWS. downward travelling right-hand hit which is sent out with the rapidity of a fencer's thrust. Cook I had guarded his chin so well for so iong that one wondered whether Carp-ntier would be able to ; ket in the blow. Just a as the Australian was sinking to

hit him again with the right. It was all so quick that Cook was not the only person in the ring who was staggered. Some t seemed to think that the secand right-hand hit was delivered of Mr. Evaristo Mauricio have York, who are expected to take after Cook had reached the floor, and was therefore fool. That was not so, for the two blows were so rapid that Cook had not time told reach the floor before he has been hit again.

It was beautifully clean work | j on the part of the winner, for of York waged herce war with within half a minute of receiving the Archbishop of Canterbury for the punches Cook was up again

and talking to his friends. hishop of York kicked over the that can be paid to the skill of chair placed for him because it Carpentier. He might have made -as set a little lower than that of |a t rrible mess of Cook had be the Archbishop of Canterbury, been a clumsy puncher. Instead It was not until the 14th, centu 3 lof that, he just made the opportwas reached that an agreement funity for hitting hard in the was patched up, and since then | correct place, and never was fist the Archbishop of Canterbury has isen; more truly to its mark

CARPENTIER'S PROTEST. and the Architish pool York Carpentier not only found time to beat Cook, but he also found time to protest to the referee. When that official, with a hand on each competitor, told them to The Royal Irish Constabulary, break, Cook went on punching, which was not according to what Carpentier knows about boxing. He mildly called the attention of

Cook's knock, they could hardly se called punches, to the back of his opponent's head, were the sign of a man who did not know what to do. They force of "Peelers" To police the | raised so that there should be a stiffening of the elbow joint when stronger and more military body. the blow landed. Carpentier could not have put more force i into the blow, and it was not at

> It was the punch of the boxer who has perfection of style, and if Cook had that he might be

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Still, it e manoeuvre told Carpentier what he wanted to know, !-

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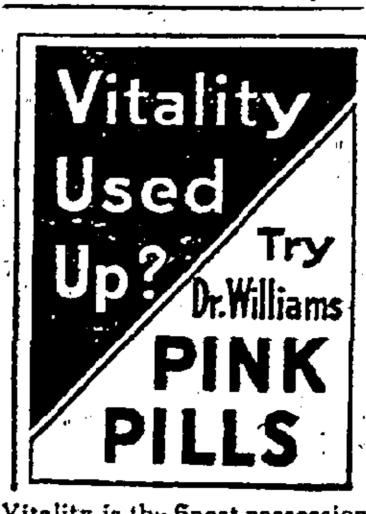
That is the best compliment

was created by a Scotsman. The referee to the fact, but he was

very calm while doing it. Cook's only damaging blows were landed when the two were Under-Secretary at Dublin Castle in clinches, and altogether the Free chman was winning all the

fall surprising to see Cook

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ARTICLE 1.

ference, namely, the United. States of America. Belgium, the British Empire, China. France. Italy, Japan, the Netherlands and Text of the Revised Treaty. Portugal, agree that the Customs schedule of duty on imports into view to increasing the revenues rates of duty shall be equivalent of the Chinese Government, have to five per cent. effective as proresolved to conclude a treaty vided for in several commercial relating to the Chinese Customs treaties to which China is a party. Tariff and have agreed as follows: A Revision Commission shall meet at Shanghai at the earliest

practical date to effect the revi-The representatives of the Con- sion forthwith and on the general tracting Powers having a opted lines of the last revision. This on the fourth day of February, Commission shall be composed of 1922. in the City of Washington representatives of the Powers a resolution which is appended above named and of representaas an annex to this article with tives of any additional Powers at respect to the revision of the present recognised by the Powers Chinese Customs Duties for the represented at the Conference every man and woman. It means purpose of making such duties and who have treaties with China equivalent to an effective five per providing for a tariff on imports cent. ad Kalorent in aco rdance and exports not to exceed five per with agreements entered into cent. od raterem wno desire to by China and other nations the participate therein. The revision Contracting Powers hereby con-shall proceed as speedily as sleepless, melaucholy, tarking in firm the said resolution and un-possible with a view to its comdertake to accept the tariff rates pletion within four months from fixed as a result of such revisor. the date of the adoption of this The said tariff rates shall become resolution by the Conference on effective as soon as possible but the Limitation of Armaments and tetrace is audible in each house now. Chemists everywhere sell not earlier than two months after Pacific and Bar Eastern quespublication thereof. and except tions. The revised tariff shall with a view to providing addi- become effective as soon as postional revenue to meet the needs sible and not earlier than two Londinium; whole quarters where | chuen Road, Shanghai, I bottle for | of the | Chinese Government the | months after is publication by Powers represented at this Con- the Revision Commission.

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"SHINYO MARU"

The above named Steamer hav-Bills of Lading for counterconsignees' risk.

Storage will be assessed on port become normal. cargo remaining undelivered after Monday, 6th. Mar., 1922.

Ail broken, chafed and damage ed packages will be landed into the Company's Godown. where THE EAST ASIATIC CO ,LTD same will be examined on Tuesday, 7th. Mar., 1922, at 10 a.m.

No claim, will be recognised after the goods have left the steamer or Gotown, and none will be enterrained if presented later than three weeks after arrival of steamer.

No fire insura :ce whatever will landed at that port, be effected.

> Y. TSUTSUMI. Manager.

Hong tong, 17th, Feb., 1921.

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#### CONSIGNEES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Due 2nd March. From EUROPE via STRAITS. CONSIGNEES OF CARGO FOR

HONGKONG PER S. S. "ATSUTA MARU"

1922, consignees of cargo are Wharf Coolies, cargo for Hong- endeavour to discharge to lighter hereby notified to present their kong will be carried on to and land the cargo. Shanghai and landed at that port. signature, and take immediate Consignees are therefore recom- the cargo will be done at the risk delivers from alongside steamer mended to make the necessary of the consignees who will also or the Company's Godown, where arrangements respecting insur- be held liable for the excess exall cargo impeding immediate ance sic accordingly. The car-o penses incidental thereto. No discharge will be landed at will be returned to Hongkong Claims will be recognised after immediately conditions at this the goods have left the Godowns

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. Agents.

Hongkong, 25th. Feb., 1922.

COPENHAGEN.

Consignees of Cargo for Hongkoog per M.S. "TONGKING" are hereby notified that owing to the strike of cargo and wharf coolies cargo for Hongkong will be carried on to Shanghai and

Consignaca attention is direct ed to Bill of Lading Clause 10 according to which ships responsibility ceases at port of

discharge. Consignees are therefore re- Consignees of Cargo for Hongcommended to make the necessary arrangements respecting

insurance etc. accordingly. LTD.

Agents, Hongkong, 1st. March, 1922.

to become a greater vogue shortly. Glasgow man in London, and its ance, etc. accordingly. The cargo of their corgoes. The value of electric-driven gram- display, at the Model Engineering will bereturned to Hongkong ophones has been enhanced by Exhibition, has been attracting immediately conditions at this justed by Messrs. the installation of an automatic much interest. The automatic port become normal. arrangement by which ten or device can be fitted on to any type twalve records can be run off in of speaking machine at a cost of succession without any personal less than 10 per cent of the whole instrument.

#### CONSIGNEES

NOTICE: TO CONSIGNEES.

Consignees of cargo for Hongnotified that awing to the present The Steamship kong per an "Tracia" are hereby state of affairs in Hongkong due charged at Shanghai will be re- discharge. and Dalny. ∸

Consignees are recommended ments as to Insurance, stc.

DODWELL & CO. LTD. Agents. Hongkong, 24th. February, 1922

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

From NEW-YORK etc THE STEAMSHIP "DACRE CASTLE"

Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that this steamer has arrived and is now ready to discharge. Consignees are requested to take delivery from alongside in accordance with the terms of Bills of Lading.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 24th, instant. All claims against the steamer

must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 12th, prox. for they will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

> DODWELL & CO., LTD., Agents.

Hongkong, 24th. February, 1922.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

S.S. "SILVER STATE."

The Consignees of cargo ex this steamer are hereby notified that kong per owing to their failure to take delivery of cargo at ship's tackles Are hereby notified that owing in accordance with the Bill of ing arrived Monday, 27th. Feb., to the strike of Cargo and Lading stipulations that we shall

The Lightering and Landing of and none will be entertained if presented later than two weeks

after the cargo is landed. No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected.

UNITED STATES SHIPPING BOARD EMERGENCY FLEET CORPORATION.

THE ADMIRAL LINE. Agents.

Hongkong, February 25th, 1922.

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kong per 🕟 F. S. "LAISANG"

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General Managers. Friday, 20th. February, 1922.

#### CONSIGNEES

From MELBOURNE & THE PRESMANTLE

to the strike of seamen, etc., cargo Consignees of cargo are hereby for Hongkong has been carried informed that this steamer has on in the vessel and if not dis- arrived and is now ready to

or they will not be recognised.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

M.V. "GLENARIFFE"

landed there. Consignees are therefore recommanded to make the necessary arrangements respecting

Hongkong immediately conditions have become settled. JARDINE, MATHESON

& CO., LTD. Agents. Hongkong, 28th. February, 1922.

are hereby notified that owing to the Strike of Cargo and Wharf coolies, cargo for Hongkong has been discharged at Shanghai and will be held there at consignees' risk and expense, to be forwarded to Hongkong as soon

Consignees are therefore recsary arrangements respecting Insurance etc.

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OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA.

This Company's Sleamship.

is expected to arrive at this port on the 5th. instant, from Europe millions. via ports. This steamers ! randed Rotterdam and Hamburg and of which General Average has

been declared. are hereby notified that owing Rotterdam and Hamburg are. MANNERS & BACKHOUSE, to the strike of cargo and wharf therefore, requisted to send this brought about by postponing enterprises the sum of nearly reached through the good offices be overcarried and landed at as declaration of value for the running train services much more taxed. Shanghai and/or at Kobe. Con- General Average of goods in cheaply. signees are therefore recommend. duplicate, together with Averagy ed to make the necessary Deposit of three (3) % on market-

> General Average will be ad-William Printed forms of the above figure. documents are obtainable at thisoffice.

> > Manager.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

tained on board until her return | Consignees are requested to to Hongkong. Probable ports of take delivery from alongside in call are, Shanghai, Yokohama accordance with the terms of Bills of Lading.

All claims against the steamer to make the necessary arrange- must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 15th, prov. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

Horgk-ng, 27.h. Feb., 1922

"GLEN "L'NE, LTD.

From UNITED KINGDOM AND CONTINENT.

Owing to the atrike of seamen Consignees are hereby notified that Hongkong cargo will be carried on to Shanghai and

Insurance etc.

The cargo will be returned to

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Consignees of cargo for Hong-

S.S. "SATSUMA"

as practicable. ommended to make the neces-

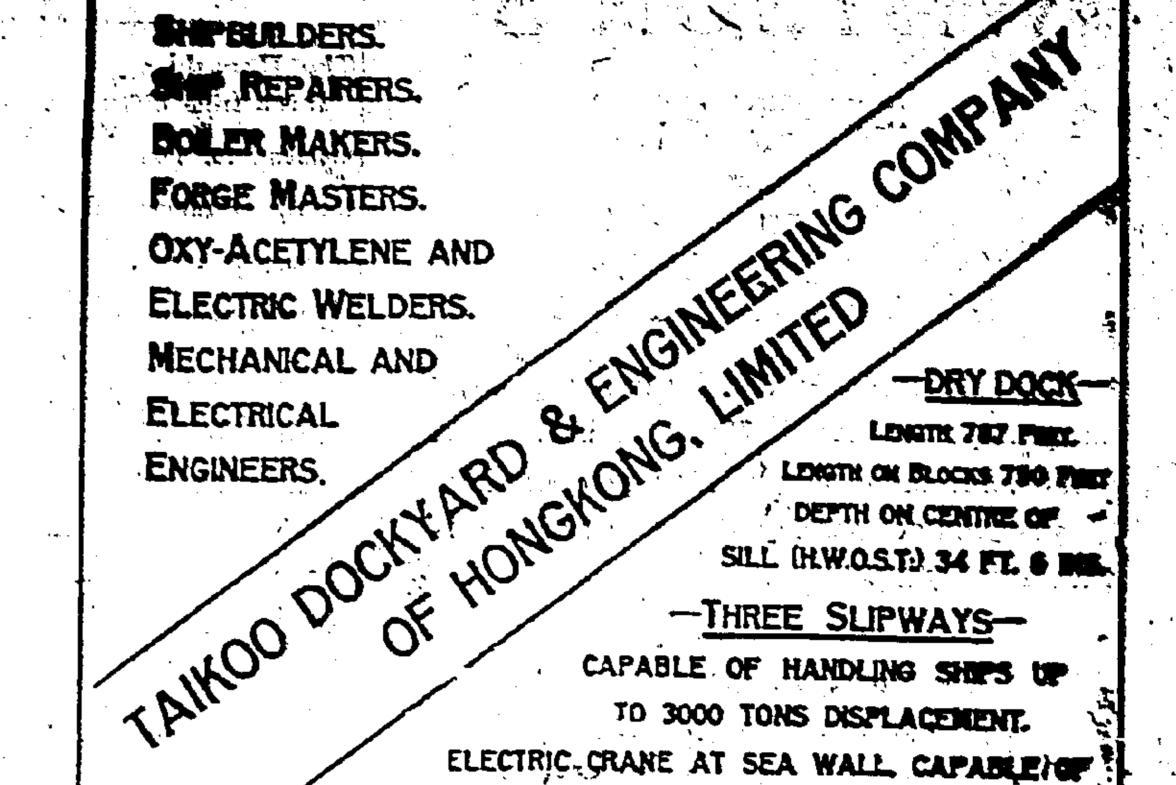
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Avoiding the Only Way to Reparations.

I learn that the German Government has under consideration the first really important step to deal with the enormous subsidies and subsidy-like deficits, which create an artificial economisituation and strike the country's finances with paralysis, writes Mr. Geo. Renwick, the Berlin corres-

pondent of the Daily Chronicle. It is sontemplating a big reduction in the foodstuffs subsidy. millions constitute the bread working.

subsidy. "It is the latter amount which ation one is faced with an almost it is proposed to cut away. That complete lack of reliable figures. will mean a big increase in the The fluctuating exchange, with price of bread, and therefore, will all its intricate consequence, be unpopular, but the country, I gives nearly, all statements the think, can easily bear it.

WORKER WELL OFF.

rise in wages and the increased head; that for 1922 is estimated man worker has now really more per head—if the Government to spend on goods than he had in scheme goes through.

taxation impasss has been reach- estimates, and secondly no reliable ed, some drastic action of this statistics regarding the average kind was absolutely imperative. national income is available Stern efforts are also to be for comparison. It is, therefore, made to reduce another deficit, necessary to have recourse to that of the railway. Users of other indications when trying to the railways and goods traffic answer the question if Germany last year were subsidised by a can bear much more taxation. railway deficit of over 18,500

Railway rates go up next expenditure of 66,000 millions.

Extraordinary expenditure is population. Consignees of cargoes from to be only one-fifth of what it was in 1931, a reduction which will be a year invest in commercial This result is said to have been

DISLIKE OF TAXES.

Still there will be a deficit of 6,750 millions, as against rather more than 18,500 millions last

Hermes, the German Finance Minister, showed clearly how

financial situation.

Just as the Government failed to persuade the industrials, agrarians and banks to guarantee foreign credit for Germany, so its efforts to achieve a taxation compromise between the Reichstag parties has come to naught. For months the Government taxation policy has been discussed in committee, and the net result is that 12,000 millions have been struck

out of the bill. There are to be no new taxes in 1922, owing primarily, it is said, to the fact that the taxation | press. authorities are overworked. If would probably be more correct That subsidy amounts to 8,000 to say that the taxation machine l million marks, of which 3,500 is too involved and slow in its

> In the problem of German taxcharacter of guess.

THE BARBER STEAMSHIP | Taking into consideration the between 700 and 800 marks per cost of living, the average Ger- at 95,000 millions, or 1,583, marks But these figures have little Seeing, too, what a serious value. Firstly, they are the merest

SIGNS OF PROSPERITY. month, and stern efforts are to be is neutralised by subsidies and at the Mukden military confermade to balance the ordinary deficits. I mentioned above the ence that all the Fengtien troops railway budget with income and bigger rise in wages than in cost should be withdrawn inside Shanof living of the great balk of the haikuan, leaving the responsibility

lamentable is the whole German quite so high. There, again, is a source of additional income.

THE ONLY WAY.

These few points show that Germany is not overtaxed. What is needed here is a strong Finance Minister and some degree of Allied control. It would be well if the Reparation Commission had a seak in Berlin, so as to exercise the needed supervision.

Garmany will never properly recover till it goes more sternly to the taxpayer when it wants money, and not to the printing

THE CHINESE PREMIER-SHIP.

Dr. W. W. Yen in Favour.

Peking, Feb. 15. The proposal to appoint Dr. W. W. Yen, Premier, appears to be Total estimated revenue for the gathering support daily, but it is past year was 43,500 millions, or still uncertain whether he will

accept the post.

According to a Chinese report General Tsao Kun signified to General Chang Tso-lin through General Wang Chen-ping that the Chihli party did not care who was Premier as long as an Aufuite or a Hunghsien monarchist were not chosen, and that it was hoped that the President in making the next selection would keep this in

CHANG TSO-LIN'S TROOPS.

Feb. 16.

According to telegrams reach-Much of her taxation at present ling Peking to-day it was resolved to maintain order beyond Surely a country which can in | Shanbaikuan to the Chihli Party.

coolies, cargo for Hongkong will office an Average Bond as well every possible expenditure and 22,000 million marks is not over- of General Chang Ching-buai and representations made by Then the industrials have been General Wang Chen-ping, rightgetting their coal-this and other | hand man of General Wo Pel-fu. points are interesting in view of The official reason given for this the conditions which it is reported arrangement is the necessity for will be imposed on Germany in General Chang Tso-lin to send return for the relief proposed at considerable Chinese forces to the year, but efforts will be made to the Cannes Conference—at an northern frontier of Manchuria, Elmslie and Sons of Lloyd's. prevent the deficit reaching that average equivalent of ils. a ton. owing to the fighting between the Again, if we reckon the mark Red and White Russian forces in So far so good, to a certain as having domestically one- Siberia. Chinese predict that extent, but a speech by Dr. twentieth of its pre-war value, General Chang Ching-hual will be postal rates are now the same as appointed Minister of War under in 1914 and railway rates are not | the next Premier.

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## The Hongkong Telegraph

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1922.

#### A GREAT LIBERAL.

In the latest papers to hand many tributes to the late encourage the spread of the Lord Bryce are found. The decease of our former Am-strike, for we hear it stated that bassador to the United States is acknowledged on both they do not in the least object to sides of the Atlantic to leave a visible gap. American short terms of imprisonment. If papers no less than British testify to the fine and varied necessary, the law should be qualities of the scholar, historian, politician, and diploma-strengthened for edealing with tist. Thus, as the Times observes, the two great nations of mischief-breeders of this type. the English-speaking race are both deeply sensible of the Stricter Censorship Needed. to the police that an armed rob- gave most liberally to Canton debt which they owe to him. Ex-President Taft, now Chief Justine of the United States Supreme Court, says of intimidation, we hear that used took place at his house at severe floods. He also displayed complexion, including Wassif Simeika as Minister of Communicacans as he can have in that of his fellow-countrymen-an eloquent realisation of the late historian-diplomatist's work as author of a specially valuable treatise upon the of labour. If that is the case, we with revolvers, entered by forc- Committee of the District Watch-United States and as Britain's representative at Washing- would impress on the authorities ing open the door and held men.

ton, "We had," declared Chief Justice Taft, "a real the necessity of such communication. A sum of \$300, which rep. The late Mr. Tong Lai-chuen United States and as Britain's representative at Washingaffection for him and a generous appreciation of how tions being strictly censored, as resented the wages the men had was a native of the Heung Shan greatly he contributed to the maintenance of cordial re- of frightening many Chinese from was stelen by the robbers. Before well known merchant, for many lations between the two countries." Not often has an continuing to work. We have they left, one of the robbers fired years connected with the Yun historian of another nation been so successful with his heard it said that only letters two shots at random, the object Loong and Un Loong Tea Hongs, subject as was Lord Bryce in depicting the history of our from outside sources are being apparently being to impress upon established at the time in Macao. one-time colony, a success due largely, as such success must subjected to censorship; in their victims the folly of enter- He resided in Hongkong for over be, to a faculty of sympathetic understanding.

It was on this account that Mr. Bryce, as he then was, made to embrace all letters. had a cordial welcome from America assured when Sir There is one other matter, and Henry Campbell-Bannerman designated him Ambassador that is the circulation here of the to our kin on the other side of the occan. The foundation- Canton vernacular papers. We stone of a good understanding had been well and truly read in the Colony and that they ·laid. "In this house, runs an inscription on the tablet are full of lies and distortions in fixed to the British Embassy in Washington. "lived from regard to the strike. As an 1907 to 1913 James Bryce, the author of. 'The American example of the kind of thing that Commonwealth." The appointment to Washington mark. is appearing in them we may humour and sharpened by a keen merchants. ed a disarture in British practice, for the new Ambassador prominent Hongkong Chinese York Idea" comes to the in charitable undertakings. As had not been schooled in diplomacy; yet political opponents who are said to be in hiding on Coronet Theatre this evening, chairman of the Tung Wah bear witness to his qualities in that office. The secret of British warships, fearing to walk the clever film version of Hospital and whilst serving on his success was well expressed by Viscount, then Sir abroad! So long as the strike a clever stage comedy. Taking various committee of this institu-

Although an octogenarian, Lord Bryce's activities showed little sign of flagging. He contributed some articles upon the Washington Conference just as it was TRAGIC END OF EVELYN THAW. in love with her husband) who is Typhoon Fund Committee. approaching. In the course of one of these he said: one in America, except a small section of the anti-British River, according to a wireless rest to Fate and the divorce At various occasions he gave Press, talks or even dreams of a war with Britain." It is message intercepted by the R.M.S. court." She finds that a little proof of his great interest in the in the honest co-operation of the English-speaking peoples Empress of Asia, on its recent evidence (even if it is only manu- Hongkong University but he did all over the world, he added, in the influence upon other nations of their ideals and their examples, that the best hope lies for the pacification and progress of mankind.

Such continents have proceeded from many voices come of the old secure a "quiet" not restrict his activities to South divorce) is a dangerous thing and China alone. Many were his donations to various of the Middle resulting in the creation of an Association of members of the old General Staff. Such sentiments have proceeded from many voices, some of in America. She was married to resulted from her unfounded other Funds and they were them perfunctory. They impress the thoughtful as Harry K. Thaw, who later killed jealousy. Introducing several always contributed in an incetensomething more than platitudes when uttered by one who Stanford White in a sensational engaging characters and a number tatious way. was a Liberal in a better sense than the somewhat narrow scandal. The woman attempted of amusing situations, "The New Owing to his failing health he suicide a few months ago by York Idea" is a successful stage took of late less and less part in

#### & COMMENTS.

The Houseboys.

moment, for none of us know what obenges there are in store for us. "Of rumours there are no and—some with a basis of reason to support them; many which are best described as figments of the imagination. But at the time of writing there does appear yesterday included Mr. ground for the reports of the Ponsonby Fane and Mr. and Mrs. probability of domestic servants C. J. Hammes and family. joining in the strike. Indeed, by the time this appears in print, most of the households of the amahs. In the case of these postponed until further notice. domestic servants, as in the case many other classes of labour, there does not appear to be any decided inclination to cease work. It is the old, old story of intimidation. We hear yesterday of a case of a Chinese, agitator who visited the house of a Portuguese resident and paid the that arrangements have beer sarvants a dollar each, telling made to prove some lights and them that they must leave their rockels at Stonecatters Rifle jobs at once, otherwise they Range to-night at 6.15 p.m. would be killed. The servants, in deadly fear of what might bappen, quickly left work. They were afraid of the intimidating paper delivery boys joining in the was their Portuguese employer, any of our subscribers not receiv. who, on being asked why he did ing their papers to send to this not have the interferer arrested, office for same. said he would go in dread of his life were he to take such a

Dealing with Intimidators.

if they continue working. And Government .- . the best service anyone coming contact with intimidation

visited on people who actively

they are undoubtedly the means just received from the Company, district, where his father was a view of the evil within our taining any thoughts of pursuit. gates the scrutiny should be

#### DAY

NO REGRETS-THEY UNMAN It is a trifle difficult to write THE HEART WE WANT FOR of the strike situation at the TO-MORROW, -George Meredith.

> Yesterday's health (Chinese).

Departures by the Ginyo Maru

Owing to the strike, the ordin Colony may find themselves ary yearly meeting of the Hongminus their houseboys, cooks and kong Hotel Company has been

> which was to have been held at begiven by the French. St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, on Tuesday, has been, postponed.

The Harbour Office i forms us

As there is talk of the news-

Subscribers to the morning Dapers who may not receive their papers to-morrow, owing to For ourselves, we cannot help able to secure them at the upper and lower Peak tram stations and the Kowloon Ferry, where, threats are being freely used, and if necessary, the delivery boys

merchant put it to us, one man Justice (Sir Wm. Rees-Davies) at at his residence, 67, Wyndham letter or word of mouth, but he is Aboni Santra was sentenced to ceased, who was 65 years of age, can be given protection from harm with conspiring to defraud the sympathy is felt.

#### ARMED ROBBERY.

Another Kowloon Case.

#### "NEW YORK IDEA."

Coronet Theatre's Witty Satire.

Alice Brady a flue role as the at heart. young wife (frivolous but really In 1906 he was a member of the The body of Evelyn Nesbit misled by the New York idea— also did excellent service on the Thaw was found in the Potomac marry for whim and leave the District Watchmen's Committee. taking poison, but was saved. play, an excellent film comedy. | public functions.

#### MARSHAL JOFFRE.

His Visit to Shanghai. (From Our Own Correspondent)

The French community an-

Shanghai, March 2

return nonnees a tentative programme shows one fatal case of plague for the entertainment of Marahal Joffra. On March 9th there will the Allied victory and attend a Farquhar. banquet of French and British "The Day of Help" bazzar | Volunteer Corps and a dinner will

#### SHANGHAI Y.M.C.A. DRIVE.

(From Our Own Correspondent) Shanghai, March 2. Y. M. C.A. teams report that \$43,282 were subscribed during the first three weeks of the four weeks annual drive.

#### SHANGHAI A. D. C.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) Shanghai, March 2. capacity greeted the A.D.C. production of "Three Twins." India.

#### OBITUARY.

Death of Mr. Tong Laichuen, J.P.

It is with regret that we have to record the death of an ex tremely well-known member of the Chinese community, in the permost classes of native labour the Sentence of eighteen months son of Mr. Tong Lai-chuen, J.P., mere threat is sufficient to effect imprisonment was passed on compradore of Messrs. Shewan, not likely to murder a hundred. twelve months' imprisonment leaves two sons and three Workers ought to realise that they The two men were charged daughters, with whom much

can perform is to get the Church, Kowloon, for March, high position in the mercantile Direct hard to catch the actual intimida- says: The delay in the building life of Hongkong, also accumulattor, admittedly, but it is due to of the Hospital on this side of the ing a considerable fortune. compradore in Messrs. Shewan of the estate. Tomes and Company. Besides circles, the late Mr. Tong Laichuen became widely noted for his generous benefactions. He gave a sum of \$20,000 to the North China Famine Relief Fund and also sent many thousands A boiler-maker employed at of cotton coats and goods the Kowloon Docks has reported to the sufferers. Deceased also In connection with this matter bery, in which revolvers were relief funds during the last two any rate, in regard to other classes two of whom were armed member, as also was he of the

> 45 years and was one of the promoters of the Bank of Canton, Beau". Previous to joining in in fairy tales. 1901 the Holland-China Trading Co., he was Compradore to the

#### THE PRINCE'S VISIT TO LAHORE

A Diverting Misapprehension.

(Reuter's Service.) (Continued from page 1.)

Liahore, March 1." The fourth race in the Labore Gymkhana yesterday afternor be an inspection, a tour of the was a big affair, and, for some reason, was generally supposed to International and French Con- for the Princess Mary's Plate. The Prince of Wales mounted amid cessions, a dinner at the French a regular storm of encouraging shouts, the purport of which wa Consulate, and a lantern parade. that he must not fail to win. He rode splendidly and came in fire On March 10th, Marshal Joffre amidst a burricane of cheers. Then followed the disappointing diswill review the French Municipal covery that the event was not for the Princess Mary's Plate at all.

Police, lay the corner-stone of the This morning the Prince of Wales inspected a parade of police Franco-Chinese Municipal School in the grounds of Government House, 400 officers and men being and plant trees commemorating present under the comand of the Inspector-General, General

Later his Royal Highness paid an informal visit to the troops veterans of the war. On March in the Lahore cantonment, where he inspected pensioners and ex-11th he will review the Shanghai Service men numbering 900 officers and 4,000 other ranks.

In the afternoon the Prince was present at a garden party at Shalamar, given by the Punjab Legislative Council. After dinner he departed without ceremony for Jammu.

In consequence of the abandonment of the great military manœuvres, which the Prince was to have witnessed, on grounds of economy, the remainder of the Indian programme is being revised. -From Reuter's special correspondent with the Prince's party.

#### INDIAN BUDGET DEFICIT.

New Taxes Proposed.

London, March 1. Trade depression, a poor monsoon and labour troubles have At house packed to its utmost resulted in the anticipated surplus of seventy-one lakks being converted into a deficit of thirty-four crores in the present Budget of

Sir William Hailey, Finance Member, in a statement to the Legislative Assembly, recommended an increase of 25 per cent. in railway passenger fares, the enhancement of inland postal rates, an increase in the Income Tax and a super-tax on Customs. The last named is estimated to yield fifteen crores, including an advance in ad valorem duties to 15 per cent. on cottons; 7; per cent. on sugar; 25 per cent. on machinery; and 10 per cent. on iron and steel: compared with 11 per cent. 31/2 per cent. 15 per cent. and 21/2 per cent. respectively. A new 5 per cent. duty will be imposed on imported yarn, and the sait duty will be doubled.

#### WINDING-UP ORDER AGAINST INSURANCE CO.

London, March 1. The Judge has ordered the winding up of the City Equitable Associated Co., mentioned in a cable of the 15th, ult.

The previous cable stated that, consequent upon the Equitable Insurance Co's winding up, the City Equitable Associated Company, The decessed gentleman came which was formed in July under the former's auspices, is presenting to the Colony when a small boy a patition for winding up. Similar petitions have been presented by and beginning work, in various the Greater Britain Insurance Corporation and the City of London

Director's Firm Also Insolvent.

London, March 1. the authorities to put them on the water is most regrettable, and it He was at one time compradore Ellis and Co. the Official Receiver said that liabilities were At a meeting of the creditors of the firm of stockbrokers, Messrs. track of these agitators if and is to be sincerely hoped that the to the German firm of approximately two millions against assets of half a million. He said when opportunity occurs. And Government will prosecute the Meyerink and Company, later that Mr. Bevan, who amassed a fortune between 1914 and 1920, did when intimidators are caught, work with all possible speed became compradore in the Hol- not keep his partners informed of the firm's financial position, and they should be severely dealt During the nast few weeks, 24 land China Trading Company entered into large commitments in connection with company promitted by the magistrates. The full Europeans from Kowloon have and subsequently partner and motions despite their protests. A trustee was appointed to wind up

[The Mr. Bevan above referred to is a director of the City being well-known in business Equitable Insurance Co. A warrant is out for his arrest.]

NEW EGYPTIAN MINISTRY.

Serwat Pasha's Moderate Nationalist Cabinet.

Cairo, March 1. Serwat Pasha has formed a Cabinet of a moderate Nationalist much of it is done by means of Li Lung Hang last evening, much generosity in connection tions, Mustapha Fathy as Minister of Justice, Gasiar Wali as letters through the post—if not in With his fokis he was in the with the Tung Wah Hospital, of Minister of Pious Foundations, Ismail Siteky as Minister of Finthe case of domestic servants, at loading house when four men, the Committee of which he was a lance, and General Sir Ibrahim Fasy as Minister of War.

Lord Allenby's Return.

Cairo, March-1. Lord Allenby arrived and received a great reception.

THE PRINCESS'S WEDDING.

World-Wide Interest.

London, March 1. A feature of the Royal wedding is the world-wide interest Ltd., and of the Canton Naviga- displayed, notably in France and America, where the papers have tion Company which operated filled pages with a description of the ceremony, the scenes in Lonbefore and during the earlier part don, and appreciations of the devotion of the English people to the of the well known river steamers democratic Royal Family, and stories of the simple habits and man-"Charles Hardonin" and "Paul ners of the Princess, who has married a man not of Royal birth, as

#### APPRECIATION OF WAR LOAN.

Due to Reduced Interest on Treasury Bonds.

Edward, Grey in a speech in which he referred to Lord should be prohibited from coming subject for the mordant wit, this showed how much he had the point to 961/2, due to the impending issue of 41/2 per cent. Treasury In the street market the 5 per cent War Loan jumped half a

[The above notification indicates the change in the money market at Home. Less than two years ago the Treasury was offering 7 per cent. interest, the subsequent rate to be regulated by the Bank Rate, which has now fallen to 41/2 per cent.]

#### GERMAN MILITARISTS FOREGATHER.

New York, March 1, Australesia has challenged for the Davis Cup.

#### CHURCH NOTES.

Some Cathedral Items.

We take the following from Church Notes (St. John's Cathedral magazine):-

Lent begins on March 1st. We hope all our readers have made plans for keeping it well. Special Lenten arrangements have been made as follow. The Senior Chaplain will preach a course of sermons, at 11 a.m. on the Sundays in Lent on: "Some Characteristic Features of the Christian Life." At Evensong at Sp.m. a course of Sermons will be preached on Some of Christ's a course of addresses on "Some Miracles of Healing " will be given by Rev. J. T. Holman. The on Mr. Frank Lenwood's book to send their names to the first week in Lent.

excellent entertainment was given by the children of the Peak School, on February 17th. in aid Homes for Waifs and Strays. The weather was unfortunately very wet, but a sum of \$271.00] 17s. 11d. has been sent England, ear-marked for the support of an orphan cripple boy in one of the Society's homes. Odr very cordial thanks to Mrs. Stark and all the members of the staff of the Peak School for all the trouble they took over the preparation of the entertainment, and to the young performers for their good work.

"Mr. Denman Fuller has returned to the Colony, but has unfortunately been very ill since his arrival, and is still in the Peak Hospital. He is gradually improving in health and hopes to be out of hospital soon. Meanwhile Mr. Bevan is kindly acting as organist and choir meeting and approved. ... master.

Church of England Men's Society.-The Rev. G.E.S. Upsdell protection to merchants who desired Miss M. Loureiro, Hongkong has kindly accepted the office of to take delivery of rice from go- Ctub," Mrs. Makeham, Miss Hon. Secretary of the C.E.M.S. downs, so that rice shops could Yvonne Shenton, Miss M. I. and we hope the Society will replenish stocks. The suggestion Reece, Mrs. F. C. Hall, Comdr. The filowing will represent have renewed life and vigour was accepted. through him. The Cathedral March 10th. at 9 p.m., when an would consider them address will be given by the Hon. Mr. Pollock, K.C., on "The Aftermath of the Great War and Some Suggestions for Mitigating it." The meeting will be in the

Cathedral Hall. With reference to a paragraph in Church Notes last June, it! English and Chinese has been ference. presented to the Bishop of Vic- A meeting of the Grand Coun-Miss Fairali, Capt. H. G. Fogg, similar organisations. O.B.E., M.C., Mrs. H. H. J. Mrs. F. C. Hallowes, Rev. J. T. League to dabble in high-falutin theories of international friendson, R.N., Hon. Mr. J. H. Kemp, ship. K.C., Lady Kirkpatrick, Mr. W. Mr. V. Biscoe-Tritton, chair-G. Lay, Mr. G. F. Nightingale, man of the Executive Committee.
Mr. W. L. Pattenden, Mr. A. said he would consult with his Piercy, Rev. M. W. Shewell, Mrs. colleagues on the question of the Stephens, and Mr. J. Witchell. A blackwood Pastoral Staff of simple design is being made

that the information may be available, if later on it is thought Mr. Stephen Leacock, the the purpose of obtaining one. TORIC LENSES ARE

locally and enquiries are being

made in England as to the cost of

a crozier in ebony and silver, so

GROUND with a deep inner curve, which speaker has had the best of it, as conforms to every movement of when a chairman delivered a the eye and makes the sight more than usually long speech equally clear in every portion of the glass. Toric will set closer to for his "address." The lecturer the eye than the ordinary flat lens, thus doing away with the annoy. ing reflections from the edge of the glass. For those who wish the very best in lenses, we recommend torics. The Hongkong Optical Co., successors to Clark & Co, manufacturing & refracting opticians, located in Queon's Road Central, manufactures Torics. Road Central, manufacture Torics tails and suggesting audibly that on all prescriptions in White, he had spoken long enough. This Figuzal

#### THE STRIKE SITUATION.

(Continued From Page 1.)

No Food Shortage. There appears to be no shortage are doing a roaring trade. There hibition of garden produce is quite are still plenty of vegetables and good.

fruit. The stall-holders have There are fewer exhibitors this been carrying on without their year than last, but more exhibits fok is since the latter came out on have been entered. This year Parables. On Wednesdays in strike, but now some of the there are 789 exhibits, as com-

Mediation.

Lord Bishop will conduct a study General Chamber of Commerce, the show. Po Leung Kuk and one of the On the whole, the exhibits this Social Problems and the East" general labour associations was held year are well up to the usual in the hall of the Hospital on standard. The season for flowers at times to be arranged. Those in the name of the the plant been a bad one, especially on the money larger had to be the west presiding. The business was to the upper levels, but the wet Cathedral clergy at once that the discuss the advisability of giving weather has not done the vegetcircles may be started during the up mediation in the strike, which ables any harm and some very the Tung Wah Hospital had under- fine specimens are shown. Children's Entertainment.-An taken in conjunction with the above The band of the King's (Liver-

was realised; and a draft for £30 to interview the Secretary for surer, Mr. J. A. Plummer; Chinese Affairs with a view to Committee, Mrs. R. J. Hall obtaining his advice on the matter. Mrs. J. Bell-Irving, Messrs. J. P. shortage and the high price of fire- Airey, H. Green, H. B. L. Dowwood and suggested that the Tung biggin and Ho Kom-tong. Wah Hospital, as a charitable in- The judging was carried out by

> in the New Territory, so as to enable N. L. Watson and A. Nichol. Wall-tong said that if the Gov- this year:ernment would grant the Mrs.Stapleton, Kowloon Cricket application the "opening" of one Club, Sir Robert and Lady Ho

with the poor people's needs.

branch has done some good work mittee appointed at the meeting Kom-tong, F.F. Ecada Silva, Ho C.S.C.O. at XI on the latter's in the past, and there ought to interviewed the Hon. Mr Hallifax Fook, T. E. Pearce, H. B. L. ground on Sturday at 2.15 p.m.: be room for a strong branch in yesterday and submitted the Downiggin, L. Yates, F. Beving.—A. el Arctli (Captain), M. H. a Colony as this. An open proposals. Mr. Hallifax is reported ton, J. H. Taggart, C. E. H. Abbas, A. H. Rumjahn, S. H. meeting is to be held on Friday, to have said that the Government Beavis, N. L. Watson, G. M. Ismail, S. Ilsmail, S. A. Ismail,

#### NAVY LEAGUE SPLIT.

Grand Council Object to the Washington Ship Ratios.

Some time ago the Executive O should be put on record that a Committee of the Navy League gold signe: ring with large adopted a new policy agreeing amethyst engraved with the arms with the ratios of capital ship of the Diocese, and the strength decided upon at the Bishop's name and style in Washington Disarmament Con-

toria by the following 23 friends, cil of the League, held at the together with an insurance policy Hotel Victoria, London, turned against its loss:-Mr. A. V. Apcar, down this policy, and by a large Mr. G. Banker, Dr. G. D. R. majority supported the Single-Black, Comde. W. Bowden- Power standard, and ceased forth-Smith. R.N., Hon. Sir. C. P. with all association with the Chater, C.M.G., Mr. G. M. Dodwell, League of Nations Union and

Mr. P. J. Hannan, M.P., said it 🕏 Gompertz, Mr. J. A. G. Goodban, was not the function of the Navy

#### TO-DAY'S MISCELLANY.

desirable to invite subscription for humorist, has made some amusing additions to the long list of the sins of omission and commission of chairmen at lectures. But there have been cases when the Smoke, Amber, Crookes or must have been very disconcert-

#### HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

Annual Flower and Vegetable Show.

of food. To-day there is plenty The Hongkong Horticultural of beef in the market, though not Society's annual flower and vegeas much as in normal times, table show, held in the Botanic No dressed poultry is exposed Gardens to-day, has, like most for sale, but the fish other things, been affected by the stalls are well filled and strike, but, nevertheless, the ex-

Lent there will be Evensong in masters are being threatened, a pared with 702 last year. There the Cathedral at 6.30 p.m. when formed.

Telegroph representative was inare quite a number of vacant spaces, however, as owing to the spaces, however, as owing to the liabour trouble many exhibitors A meeting of representatives of have experienced difficulty in the Tung Wah Hospital, Chinese getting their produce carried to

pool) Regiment will discourse A proposal to give up mediation music during the afternoon and was introduced, but was rejected Lady Stubbs has promised to of the Society for Providing by the majority of these present. present the prizes at five o'clock. A committee consisting of Messrs The officials are as follow:-Li Wing-kwong, R. H. Kotewall President, Mr. Justice Compertz; and Lo Chung-kue was appointed Secretary, Mr. L. Gibbe; Trea-Mr. Ho Wah-tong referred to the Robinson, A. Nichol, M. E. F.

> stitution, approach the Government Mrs. Montague Ede, Mrs. with a view to ascertaining whether Bowden-Smith, Mrs. Aubrey, it was possible temporarily to Mrs. Airey, Messrs. Ho Komwaive the prohibition on cutting tong, J. P. Robinson, Sim, H.B.L. wood in Covernment plantations Dowbiggin, R. A. Nicholson, the poor to obtain fuel. Mr. Ho The following are exhibiting

hill would be sufficient to meet Tung, Sir Paul Chater, Mrs. H. W. Bird, Matilda Hospital, The proposal was put to the Dr. Forsyth., Mrs. Jordan, Ladies Hecreation Club, Dr. J. H. Sanders, One speaker suggested that the Misses Joyce and Betty Ram, Covernment be requested to afford Mrs. A. Murdoch, Mrs. Chos. Beckwith, United Services Club, the I. L.C. 1st. XI in their We understand that the com- Messre. R. A. Nicholson, Ho league natch against the Shaw, D. G. M. Bernard, R. D. Rumjah, J. S. Curreem, O. Baker, C. Montague Ede, J. A. Ismail, S.A. R. Ismail, and Plummer and L. Gibbs.

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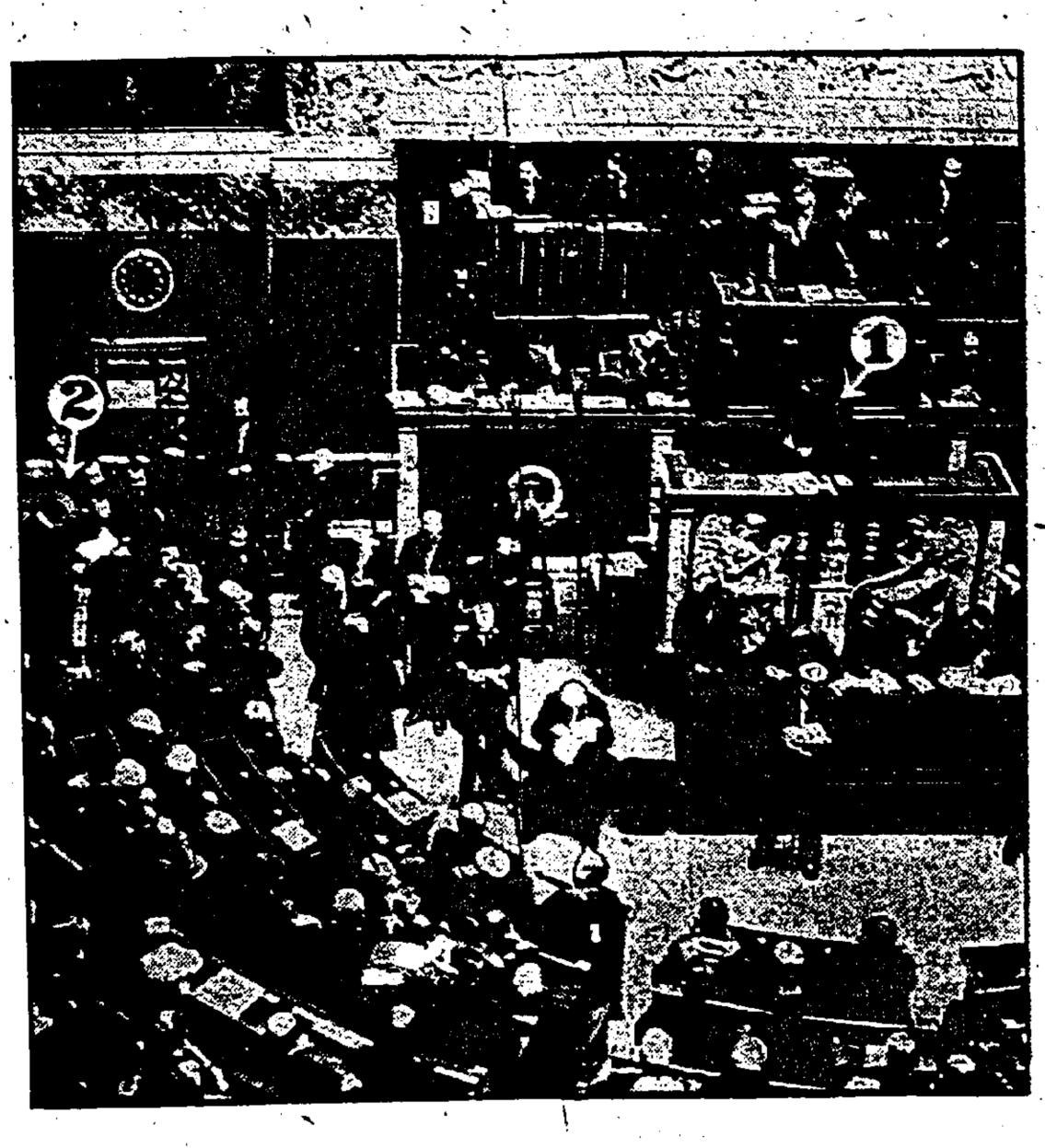
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# CAMERA INEWS



Mr. Lloyd George was as merry as any of his little guests at the Christman party he held at his Downing Street residence, judging from this photograph.



This news picture, shows M. Briand defending himself against political attacks which quickly led to his resignation.



This is the only airplane in which an ex-Emparor ever failed to regain his lost throne. It carried Carl from the Alps to Hungary—but train and boat took him from there to exile in Madeira.



A recent photo of M. Briand, showing him walking with his friend, Dr. Chatany. It was taken when the political storm that resulted in his retirement as Premier of France was breaking.



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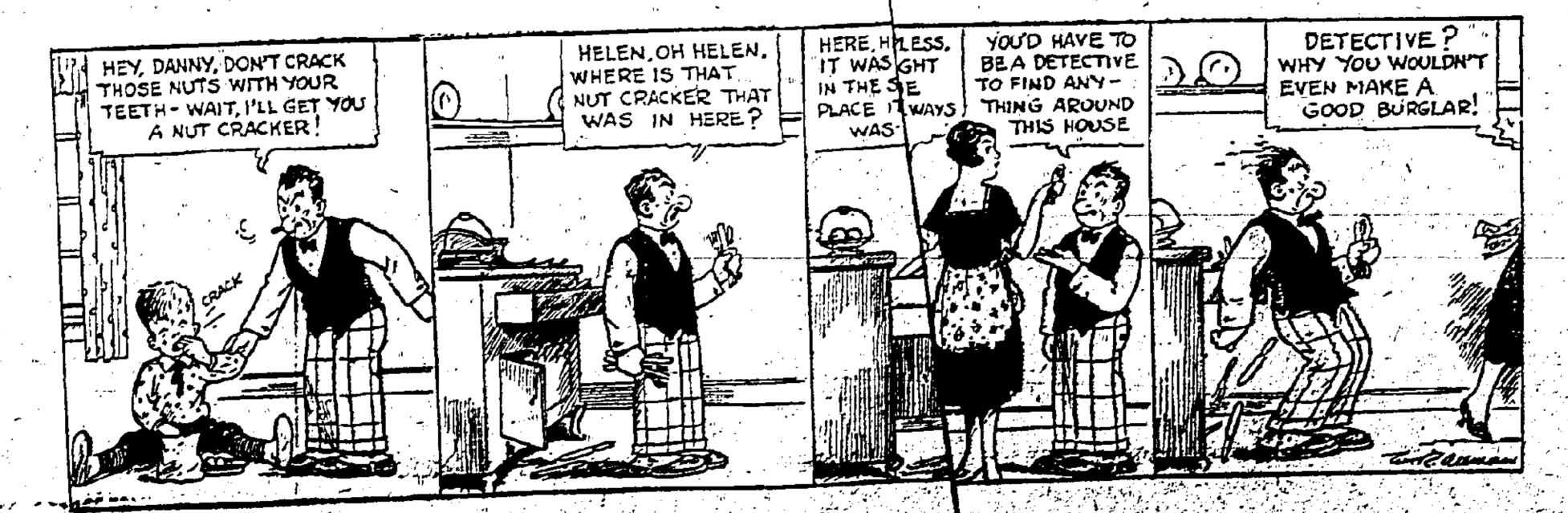


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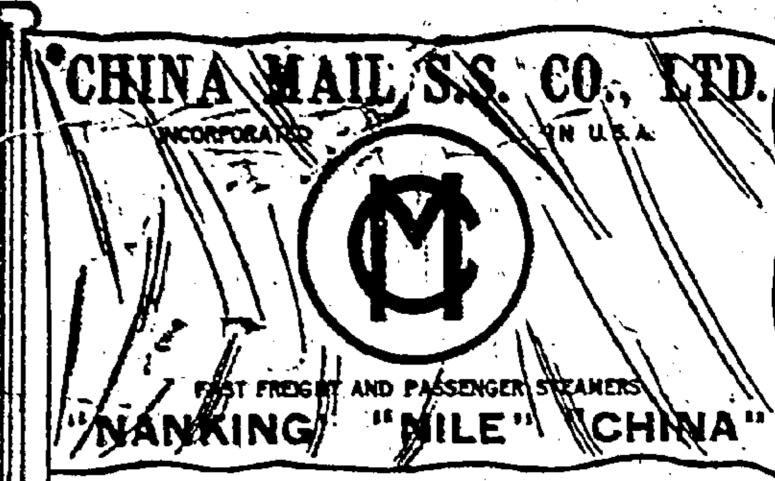
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COMMERCIAL NEWS

THE "OPEN DOOR."

culture and Commerce recently submitted a set of regulations

gaverning foreign trade in the interior, to come into force as soon as the "open door" policy

should take effect. In the meantime the same Ministry has issu-

ed orders prohibiting the estab-

lishment by foreigners of offices

INCREASE IN CHINESE CUSTOMS.

and godowns in the interior.

The Chinese Ministry of Agri-

The Chung Mei 'Agency states that, according to reliable reports. the Customs increase granted to China by the Washington Conference, is going to fall far short of the total estimated in Washington, and will not be sufficient security for all the obligations which the Chinese Government is hoping to secure upon it. In Washington the amount of the increase would come it was said. to from 15 to 20 million dollars. Present reports "say, however, that the estimates made out by the Customs Administration, put this increase at from four to five millions instead.

FUTURE OF ARMAMENT FIRMS.

The selection of alternative industries which will not be dependent upon wars has been solved in various ways by armament companies. No British firm, though, has so far chosen cutlery manufacture. This may be due, perhaps, to fears that the industry is unlikely to leave those factories where it has carried on for centuries past. In the United States and Germany, on the other hand, cutlery figures largely among the EASTERN EXTENSION AUSTRALpost-war activities of the armament concerns. Krupps has, purchased a complete cutlery Alibux Friver Core Thirty Turp factory at Solingen, and two armament companies are now making table and pocket knives. Miss Hendry Kremlin, from

One of the problems which the

cuttery manufacturer in Shaffield and America has been unable to solve is that of obtaining efficient machinery. Much of the plant is not suitable for its purpose, and has beloed to support the contention of the old craftsmen that machinery is out of place in a cutlery factory. Yet, all safety razor blades are machine-ground, and are admittedly much better than many razors of the ordinary type. British armament firms have tried numerous peace enterprises, perhaps the most successful being that of locomotive construction and repair by Armstrong Whitworth and Co. Cammell Laird and Co. have family, Mr. K. Asako, Mr. O. V. done very well with all-steel Babcock, Mr. R. Ponsonby Fane, wagon building at Nottingham, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hammes, Miss a type of wagon more in favour F. Hammes, Master C. Hammes, abroad than on home railways. Mr. M. B. Horton, Mr. and Mrs. S. The company has been specialis-Kata and infant, Mr. and Mrs. T. ing in the export trade Perhaps the biggest variety of peace, H. Saikyo, Mr. and Mr. A. J. manufactures / has been un-Vyse. Miss F. Vyse, Miss C. dertaken by Vickers, whose new Willets, Miss K. Hirocka, Mr. S. enterprises embrace everything Hirata, Mrs. I. Jenkyns, Mr. G electrical, wagon and carriage Kobayashi, Miss S. Kobayashi, building, sewing and washing Mr. and Mrs. T. Kitajima, Miss N machines, and even mechanical. Kitajima, Mr. F. Kussano, Mr. T. toys. At present some of the Matsuya, Mr. G. Noguchi, Mr. T | minor industries are being given Shima, Mr. K. Suchiro, Mr. T a rest.

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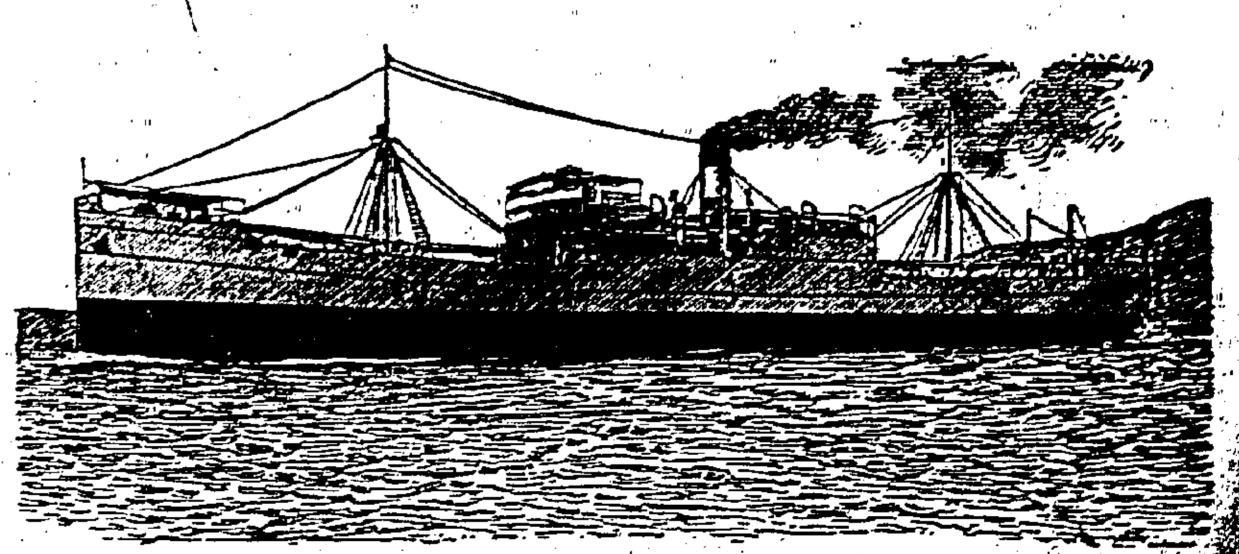
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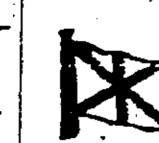
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#### SHIPPING NEWS.

SWEDEN'S LEADING-SHIPPING MAN.

Undoubtedly one of the most

interesting figures at the Interna-

tional Shipping Conference held recently in London, says our Home correspondent, was Mr. Gunnar Carlsson, the Managing Director of Rederiaktiebolages Transatlantic, of Gotenborg. Mr. Carlsson is a young man-he is only 34 years of age—to occupy the position of Sweden's premier CALCUITA LINE:-This Line now affords regular sailings to shipowner, but his outstanding British representatives at the SHANGHAI LINE: Sailings approximately every three days between stice of a shipping paper some Canton and Shanghai, sometimes calling at Swatow. Through views on the position and prospects whose present difficulties he exchange. Its currency, like premium, whereas that of Norway considerably handicapped as affairs becomes more normal, the smaller concerns are in no way capable of meeting the difficulties with which they are faced, and consequently many of them have met with disaster. Among the factors which have contributed to this, Mr. Carleson mentioned the wave of speculation which occurred during and after the war. Owing to the prohibition of the export of tonuage by maritime powers the market became very restricted and, with the keen competition which ensued, ships were bought at extremely high prices. Contracts, too, were placed with shipbuilders, both in Sweden and abroad, almost regardless of cost, and the precipitate slump in values involved the owners in heavy losses. Mr. Carlsson also referred to the onerous burden of taxation, and especially of the excess profits duties, which has driven many small companies into liquidation. As to the outlook, he was not willing to commit himself to any definite expression of opinion. The vital need of the shipping industry is a progressive reduction of working expenses. The process will, he thought, bea slow one, but owners are about to make proposals for considerable cuts in the wages of seamen. Whether they will be successful in persuading the men that these reductions are imperative in the interests of the industry, however remains to be seen. Shipping and Engineering.

STEVEDORING CHARGES. \* The high dock dues and steve-

doring charges against which shipowner- have to contend in many ports are the cause 🚅 growing dissatisfaction, Una result has been the growth of a very desermined movement-not only by shipowners, but amongmerchants generally, to secure reductions. The matter is engaging the attention of the London Chamber of Commerce, while a report on the subject is shortly to be presented by Committee of the Chamber of Shipping. Particulars of the charges now in force in source cases amounting to 150 per cent. above pre-war rates-are shown in a report which has been drawn un by the statistical department of the Chamber. It is understood that in some parts of the world stevedoring rates have been seith further increased recently, the charges in one instance -- those at a New Zealand port-bassing r senby 100 per cent.

SOVIET ON LINER

A mutiny broke out on board the French liner Amazone, whileproceeding from Marseilles tu-Saigon, Cochin China, as theresult of a discussion between a passenger and a steward. The steward considered himself insul:ed and referred the matter to the secretary of the Seamen's Union. who was on board. That official |declared that the passenger would not in future be served by any steward, and must, himself get what he required. Other passengers intervened, and all the stewards then demanded that the passenger should be put ashore. The ship became a scene of anarchy, and the Union secretary said he was master of the vessel. and threatened to fire on the British police if the captain called them to his sid. Passengers were refused all food, and a Soviet tribunal was set up. The affair terminated on receipt of a communication from the Seamen's Union at Marseilles. Measures will be taken against the crew.

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the new Chinese tariff with a con- I for Dr. Levinstein considers that siderable amount of alarm and I the first great purpose of the in there is a pronounced fear that | dustry has been amply fulfilled. the trade in cotton goods and cot- and that a new task now here ton yarn with China is going to before it. From 1914 to the signreceive a serious setback upon ling of the Armistice the industry the introduction of the new sche- I enabled Great Britain and the dule allowed by the ruling of the Allies to clothe their fighting Washington Conference.

Taking the official figures for the year of 1921, which state that the trade with China in cotton warn and cotton goods amounted to Y.150,000,000, the experts figure a reduction of (?) Y.3,500,000 in exports. This loss will be a serious blow to the smaller concerns engaged in the enterprise. and when it is considered that the majority of firms engaged in this phase of industry are of that type, the question immediately becomes a very serious one.

There are some who suggest that the Japanese should raise "that the substantial burden of the price of goods shipped out to China, but there are others of the more conservative type who claim such a policy would be suicidal to the industry in this country.

PROPOSAL TO START MILLS IN CHINA.

ners will be held at a near date | difficult task of establishing in and one of the propositions put up peace time a dye-stuff industry for consideration is that of d-vel- | capable of competing with those oping the primitive industry in of other countries and securing a China itself, with Japanese capital share in the neutral markets of and under Japanese management. the world. This task was serious-This, it is claimed, can be done by complicated by the slump themselves.

#### DYE INDUSTRY. Its Present Position and

Prospects.

Dr. Herbert Levinstein bas

contributed to the annual Trade Review of the Forkshire Post an important article on the British dre-stuff industry. It is an article Japanese spinners are viewing dealing largely with the future. forces; and between November

1918 and the end of 1920 it placed British manufacturers and merchants in an exceptional position to take advantage of the world's scarcity of textiles.

For it should be remembered that during this latter period German dyes could not be obtained by this country in any considerable quantity until well into 1920. while the imports of dye-stuffs from Switzerland, contrary to a widespread impression, formed a small proportion of the total quantity used. "" I believe it to be the case," says Dr. Levinstein, these difficult years was borne by

British manufacturers." PRESENT DEPRESSION. Indeed he points out, during 1919 and 19:0 none of the belligerent countries outside Germany was so well supplied with dyes as the United Kingdom. In 1921 a A general meeting of the spin- beginning was made of the more



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Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 0.00 inch. Total since January 1st. 8.15 inches, against an average of 3.23 inches.

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FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOUR

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